



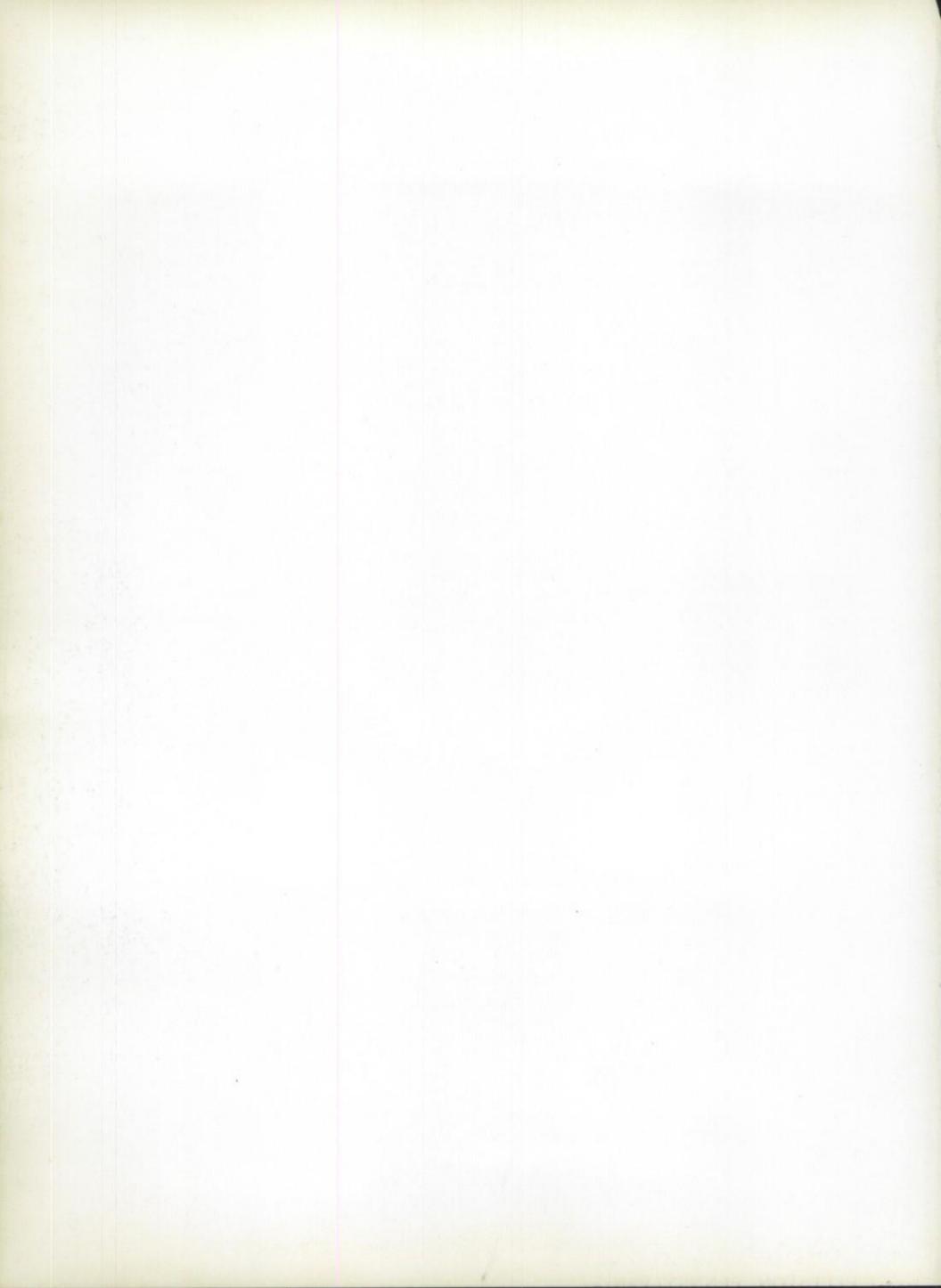
## Alma Mater

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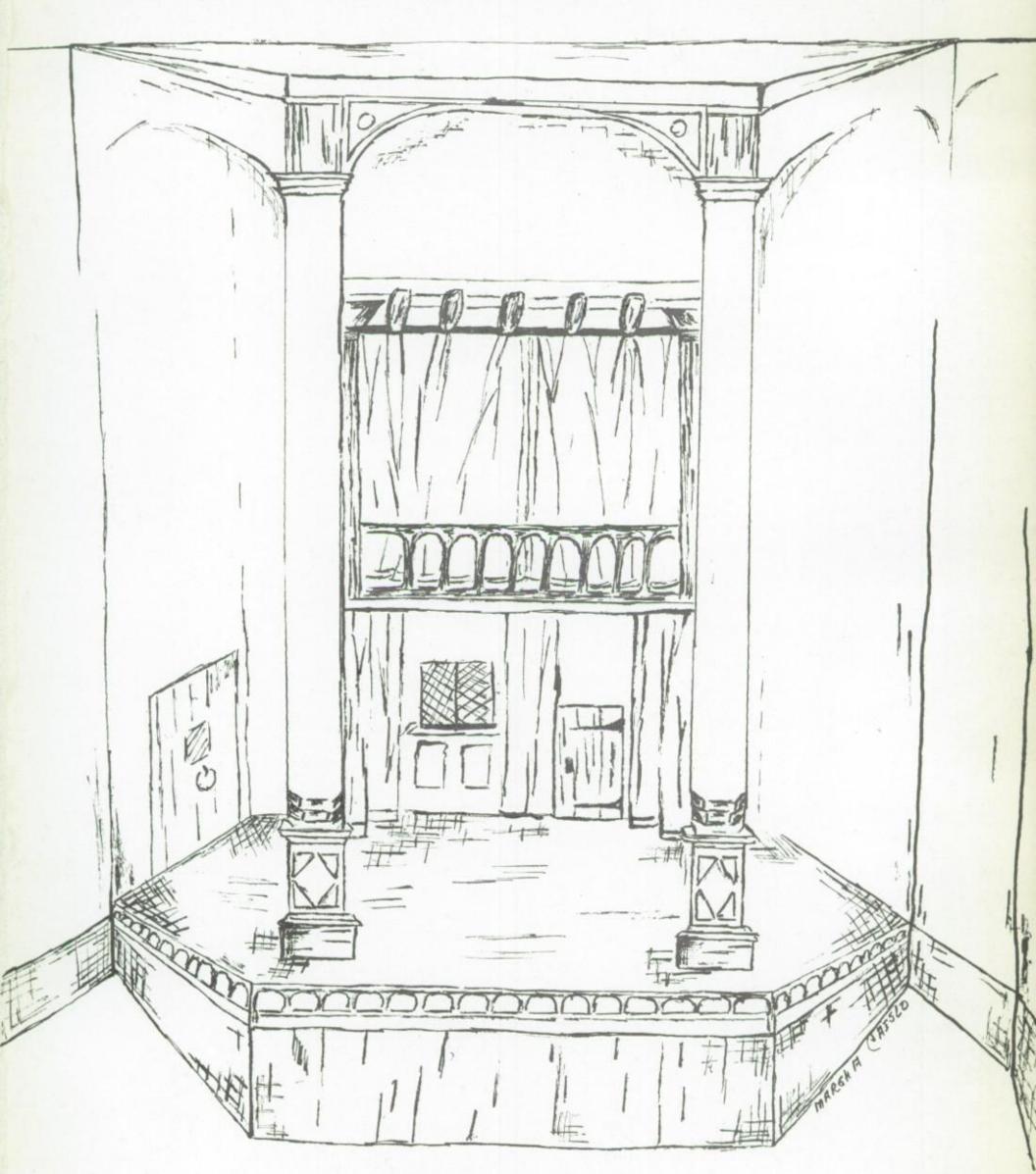
We are proud of football records,
Of our work in basketball,
Of our hard-won baseball vict'ries
Of our players one and all;
And we know our teams each season
Will strive with all their might
To be worthy of old High School
And the dear old Green and White.

So then, come ye, Seniors, Juniors, Come Soph'mores, Freshmen, all, And we'll keep the echoes ringing Through this dear old study hall. Let us own the white of virtue And the green for youth and right As we strive to all be worthy Of the dear old Green and White,

When Commencement Day is over And we turn to tread new ways, We must say good-bye forever To these dear old High School Days; And though age will overtake us As the long years pass in flight, We shall ne'er forget old High School And the dear old Green and White.



# The 1966 Caravan Presents...



Curtain going up! The stage is set. Sit back, relax, and enjoy the last play to be presented at West Pittston High School.



"The

Grand

Finale"

The audience awaits breathlessly the performance of the West Pittston High School Players. It is to be their eighty-eighth and last performance. Veteran actors are seated in the audience, and now, as they await the program, they think back over their own acting days at the great West Pittston Hall. The old color scheme of green and white still adorns the theater, and the adopted good luck charm, the Ram, still stands, revered by all the performers.

As the curtain is drawn, the lights begin to dim, and tears can be seen glistening on each cheek. Although the auditorium has been darkened, memories remain bright, and the old spirits of West Pittston High School come alive as "THE GRAND FINALE" takes shape....

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## Dedication



Left to right: First Row—Miriam B. Harris, Rosabell S. Levy, Elaine Metroka, Bertine Dobbie, Marguerite Gelli, Rosella Fedor, Katherine Edgerton, Esther L. Clarke, Cathran J. Fear, Martha J. Jones, Margaret G. Mitchell. Second Row—Harold Seiple, Edwin Baul, Phyllis Langford, Margaret M. Clelland, Marjorie T. Green, Norine H. MacGuffie, Dorothy M. Treible, Doris Wyllie, Anna S. Barnes, Kenneth A. Lewis, Frank I. Edwards. Third Row—Gerard Zezza, Robert Tonkin, Lewis A. Shook, Patrick G. Cawley, Robert T. O'Connell, Lawrence C. Brogna, Kenneth D. Allison, Charles A. Daniels, Harold J. Chromey, Elwood Swingle. Absent—Merle D. Bainbridge, George R. Davenport, Myra B. Kuschel, Sarah B. McNamara, William C. Players, Hilda B. Poxon, Mary L. Richards.

Traditionally, the Caravan has been dedicated to a teacher who the seniors feel has been an outstanding, beneficial influence in their lives. One who has had the Caravan dedicated to him must have gained the utmost respect and admiration of the seniors. For the dedication of the final issue of the Caravan, we, the seniors of 1966, have chosen to honor every teacher in our high school.

We owe much to all our teachers and wish to recognize the faculty for the years of service they devoted to us. Our books gave us information, but our teachers gave us knowledge and wisdom. In appreciation for their unselfish interest in us, we want to honor them all.

Therefore, we, the Class of 1966, dedicate our yearbook to the entire West Pittston High School Faculty.

MR. R. CHESTER WILLIAMS DR. DORIS E. WYLLIE MR. JAMES O. BROKENSHIRE MR. JAMES T. AYRE







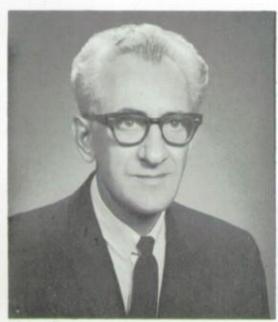






### MISS MARGARET M. CLELLAND

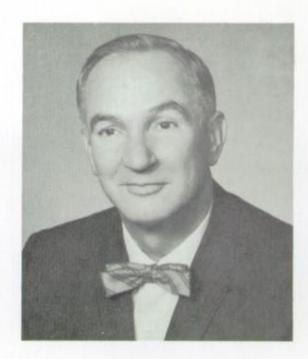
Miss Margaret Clelland, di-rector of the Magazine Drive, has capably supervised the major fundraising project of the yearbook since the project's beginning. Giving un-selfishly of her time and of her superior business ability, Miss Clel-land has consistently displayed her interest in the school, in the senior class, and in the Caravan. Realizing that no amount of gratitude could equal her efforts, the Caravan staff would like to pay tribute to Miss Clelland for all that she has done. We speak for seniors present and for seniors past; we will remember Miss Clelland as our teacher, as our advisor, and as our friend.



MR. ANGELO BUFALINO

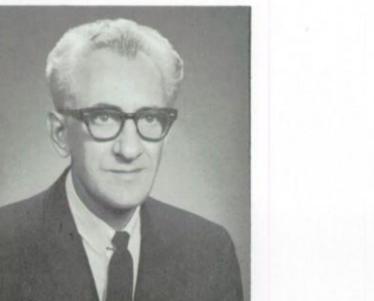
A yearbook is composed almost entirely of pictures. In the Caravan, as in other yearbooks, we have tried to preserve some of the memories of the past year. During the years that Mr. Angelo Bufalino has been the Caravan's photographer, he has added to our yearbooks by producing pictures of the finest quality. In recognition of all that he has done for so many Caravans past, the 1966 yearbook staff would like to thank Mr. Bufalino for his patience, kind-





MR. LEWIS A. SHOOK

Mr. Lewis A. Shook, the Caravan's faculty business manager, has been greatly responsible for the success of the subscription, booster, and patron drives of the yearbook. Directing the business staff in the performance of their duties, Mr. Shook has contributed a great deal toward the financial success of this publication. In recognition of his efforts, the 1966 Caravan Staff, on behalf of all yearbook staffs who have had the benefit of Mr. Shook's experience and assistance, thanks him for the services he has rendered to the Caravan during these many



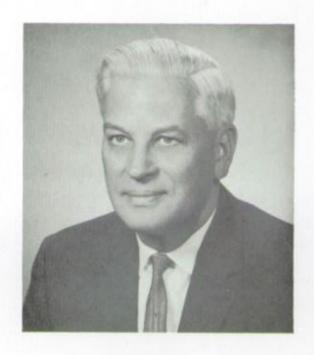
ness, and competence.



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MR. C. EVERITT Labarre

No book is really a book until it is printed. Only if the printing on a yearbook is well done can the book be truly successful. For this reason we are again happy to have this phase of our production handled by Mr. C. Everitt LaBarre. Mr. LaBarre has always shown great interest in our school and has offered his personal services many times to our staff members. We extend our great thanks to Mr. LaBarre for the genuine interest and concern he has shown to Caravan staffs from West Pittston High School.

## Board of Directors



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Clifford C. Melberger

### TO THE CLASS OF 1966:

As you finish your studies at West Pittston High School, you are about to take one of the biggest steps in your young lives.

Regardless of the field you may choose to follow, the future holds a world of opportunity for you.

You can reach meaningful goals only through a desire and willingness to work and sacrifice. Your school and staff have done their best to prepare you for whatever field of endeavor you may choose to enter. The secret to your success will be found in your school motto: "Truth, Honor, and Fair Play," as well as in your athletic motto: "Right Attitude Means Success."

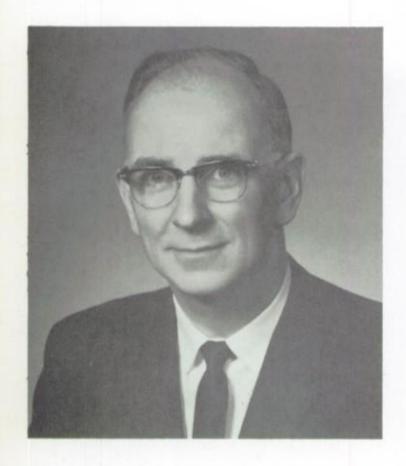
Your class will go down in history as the last class to graduate from West Pittston High School. We know that you are proud of your school. May you always remember it wherever you go or whatever you do.

You have served your school well and we are proud of you. We extend with pleasure our sincere congratulations to you, the class of nineteen hundred sixty-six. May your future be successful.

Sincerely yours,

Elmer B. Weiskerger President West Pittston School Board

## Administration



#### JAMES T. AYRE

For the past two years Mr. James T. Ayre has been superintendent of West Pittston Public Schools. A graduate of Coughlin High School, he received his B.S. degree, with majors in mathematics and geography, from Mansfield State Teachers College, and his M.S. degree from Bucknell University. During his years at West Pittston, he has been a mathematics teacher, director of night school, playground instructor, and track coach. He is the Kiwanis advisor of Key Club and is interested in Kiwanis Vocational Guidance work. Mr. Ayre is the Director of Civil Defense, a member of the Board of Directors of the Wyoming Valley Chapter of the National Foundation of the March of Dimes, and a member of the March of Dimes Scholarship Committee and the Morris Foundation Scholarship Committee. The Class of 1966 respectfully gives thanks to Mr. Ayre for the assistance and understanding he has offered us.

#### R. CHESTER WILLIAMS

Mr. R. Chester Williams, principal of senior high school, was graduated from Taylor High School. He received his A.B. degree from Pennsylvania State University and his M.A. degree from Bucknell University. At Union College, New York, in 1945, he received the General Electric Fellowship for science and mathematics. Mr. Williams is presently the faculty advisor of Student Council. He is very active in community affairs. It is with great respect that we, the Class of 1966, pay tribute to Mr. Williams for the guidance he has given us.

### DR. DORIS E. WYLLIE

Dr. Doris E. Wyllie, a graduate of Moosic High School, is vice-principal of senior high school and serves as guidance director. She received her B.S. degree from Pennsylvania State University and her M.A. degree from Bucknell University. Wyllie furthered her education at Pennsylvania State University where she received her D.Ed. degree. The recipient of a General Electric Science Fellowship and the State Delta Kappa Gamma Scholarship, Dr. Wyllie is presently serving as advisor of National Honor Society. We, the Class of 1966, with deep appreciation, express our thanks to her for serving as a wonderful assistant to us during our high school years.

#### JAMES O. BROKENSHIRE

Mr. James O. Brokenshire, principal of junior high school, was graduated from Kingston High School. He earned his B.S. degree at Bloomsburg State Teachers College and his M.S. degree at the University of Scranton. A veteran of the air force, army, and naval reserves, Mr. Brokenshire serves actively in community affairs. He is also faculty advisor of the Key Club. The Class of 1966 wishes to thank Mr. Brokenshire for his capable leadership and service to our high school.







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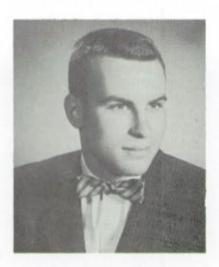
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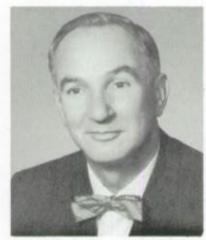
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## Office Staff and Custodians



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Mrs. Elizabeth S. Wilson (School Nurse)



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Joseph Argenio (Maintenance, Fireman)



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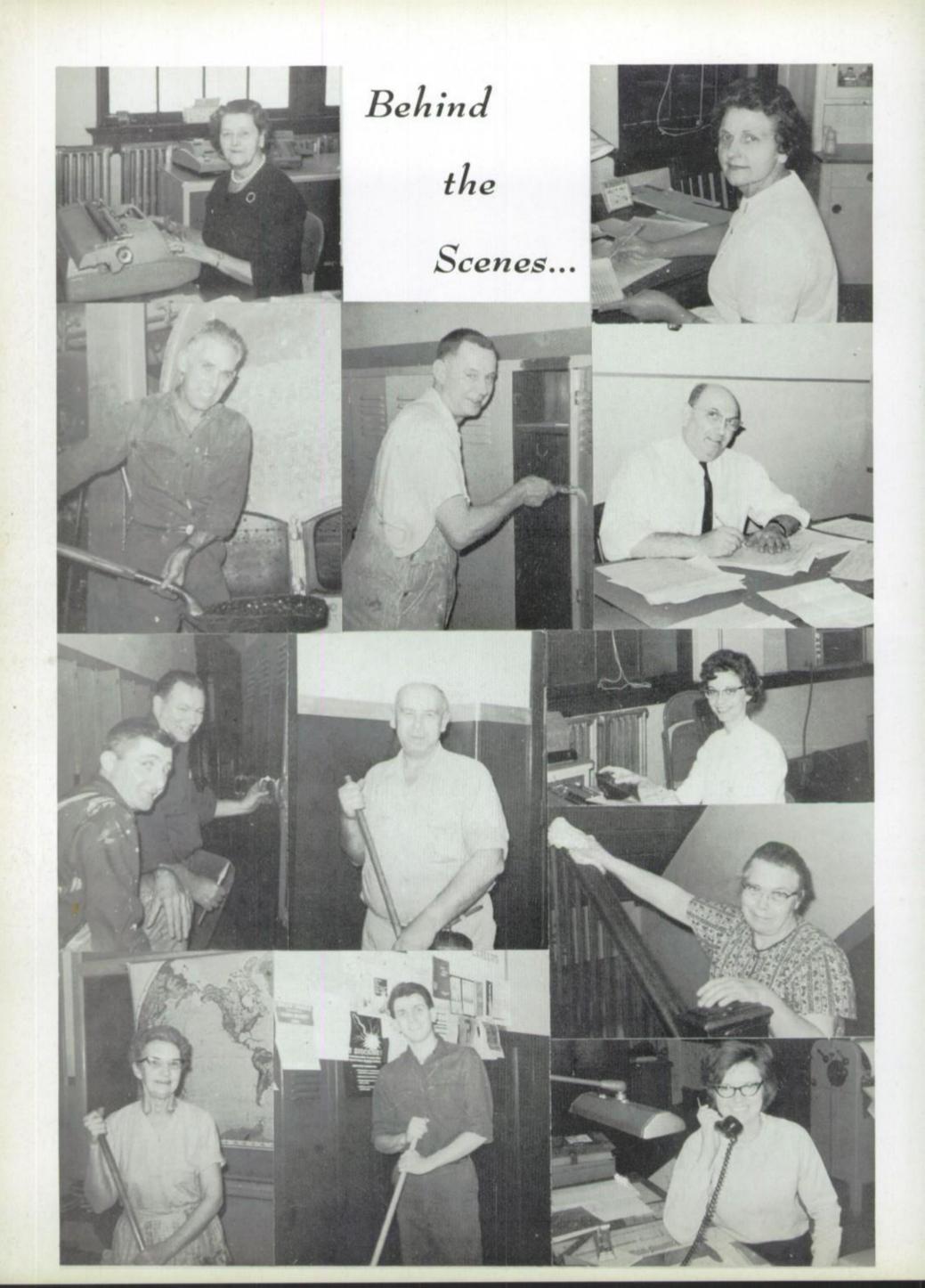
Mrs. Hazel F. Hulsizer (Janitress)



Miss Nellie Reid (Janitress)



Mrs. Elizabeth Whitlock (Janitress)









### **CLASS FLOWER**

Cymbidium Orchid

### **CLASS MOTTO**

Life awaits us; we shall live it.

Vita nos expectat; eam vivemus.

### CLASS COLORS

Green and White

### CLASS SONG

Tune: The Sound of Music

West Pittston High, we must sadly leave you.

Though you've been our life for so many years;

And as we now face the world before us,

The joy in our hearts will be mixed with tears.

We have been guided by truth, honor, and fair play,
Strengthened with knowledge and right.
We have lived for the youth and the virtue of

We have lived for the youth and the virtue of Our colors green and white.

The memories we share we'll cherish now And in years to come.

We join hearts and hands
And together we walk toward the sun.

Now it has come, the time for parting

To friends we have made, we must say good-bye.

Farewell, high school days,

We shall ne'er forget you—

Farewell, West Pittston High.



## **SENIORS**

MARY JEAN ALGAR

"Agar"

College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 10, 11; Senior Band 10, 11; F.T.A. 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 12; Flag Carrier 10; Yearbook Staff 12.

Active Mariner...punctual?...has a spot in her heart for football players...enjoys skiing and sailing..."Ask me?"...talkative.



BARBARA ELLEN ADRIAN Commercial

Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Library Club 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12.

"I could have danced all night"...dislikes smart alecks... collects coins and dolls..."Bite my fingernails?—Who, me?"



MARIE V. AGOLINO Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10; Glee Club 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 11, 12.

Petite and pretty..."Are you for real?"...rainy days, ugh!...
Happiness is week ends...could do without Mondays ... "Let's dance!"





"Nancy" NANCY LEE ALLING
College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; Yearbook staff 12; Organ Club 11, 12; F.T.A. 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week 12; P.T.A. Program 10.

Prefers to study in quiet...enjoys meeting people...active M.Y.F. president...dislikes early rising...Give her math any day!

AUSTIN JOSEPH AMBROSINO
"Aust" College Prep.

Football 10; Basketball 12 (manager); Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; Chess Club 12; Homeroom Officer 10 (treasurer); Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 11; Flag Carrier 10, 11; Track 11.

Likes singing in chapel... "Sure, I do homework!"...a gray Falcon... "You have to be difficult, don't you?"...amiable Austy.

MICHAEL ANTHONY AQUILINA "Acky" College Prep.

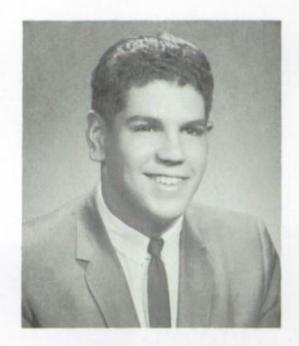
Basketball 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball (manager 10, 11, 12); Mixed Chorus 11; Key Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer (secretary 10, 11); Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10; Chapel Programs 10, 11; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

Honey-colored eyes . . . "Don't get nervous!" . . all-around sportsman . . . "My sister" . . . economics, si; mathematics, no . . . big blue Cadillac.

CHARLES JOSEPH BELL, JR. "Chipper" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 10; Senior Band 10; Chess Club 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag Carrier 12.

"Watch my hair!"...the drags...favors a petite brunette ... "Shut up!"... always laughing...his potent Plymouth...running out of gas.













### LUANN BERULIS

"Luann" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; French Club 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 12.

Eager reader...listens to records...summers at Lake Carey...winters on ice...chief irritation—fast drivers..."Anyone for tennis?"

### MARIE-ELENA BILDER

"Lonna" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 11, 12; Junior Prom Program Committee 11; Usherette 12.

"Hey, Girl!"...JUDO enthusiast..."My brother, Eddie"...the boy next door?... quiet and shy...dislikes tardy people...those dimples!

#### LOUIS BISCOTTO

"Bisky"

Football 10; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 10); Slide Rule Club 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (vice-president); Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11.

General

Likes friendly people...the Starfires... DANCES and DRIVE-INS...P.O.D. classes ...our T.V. repair man ... a Panther Pallbearer.

### LOUIS BIAGIO BONITA

"Louie" College Prep.

Basketball 10 (manager); Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12 (district chorus 12); Key Club 10, 11, 12 (secretary 11, 12); Three One-Act Plays 10; F.T.A. 11, 12; National Honor Society 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 10, 11 (secretary); Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10; P.T.A. Programs 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

Efficient Key Club secretary... "Extra, read all about it!"...a bubbling personality ... quite the Casanova... brilliant in physics.

#### MARY LINDA BOOS

"Linda" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10; French Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (secretary); Junior Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Flag Carrier 12.

Sunday night at the rink!... "Check it out!"...passes time by writing letters...en-joys public speaking...good-natured Linda.

### MARY RITA BORR

"Mary Rita" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook staff 12 (assistant editor); Glee Club 11, 12; Organ Club 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (vice-president); Junior Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Usherette 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Programs 12.

Friendliness plus...typical lady driver... talented pianist...bouncy brunette...LONG telephone conversations...that laugh!...likes good music...ambitious and reliable.

#### BONNIE LEE BRODBECK

"Bonnie" Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Cheerleader 11, 12 (co-captain 11, captain 12); Mixed Chorus 11, 12 (secretary 12); F.T.A. 11, 12 (secretary 12); Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 10, 11 (secretary 10, secretary-treasure 11); Usherette 11; P.T.A. Programs 11, 12; Chapel Programs 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 12; Junior Prom Program Committee 11; National Honor Society 11.

Beautiful blue-eyed blonde...stuffed animals..."Ready!"...loves to bake..."Tell me from the beginning."...a certain alumnus... future secretary.

#### EDWARD GEORGE BURKE

"Stoney" College Prep.

Basketball 10, 11, 12; Key Club 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11.

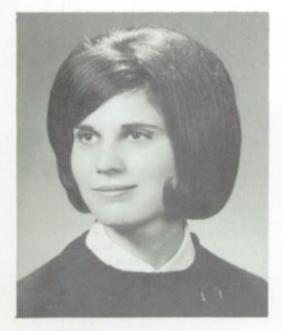
Lively basketball player...a natural comedian . . . "Let's go bowling!" . . . dislikes FORDS! . . . enjoys oil painting . . . very co-operative . . . "tip sheet?"

















"KAREN ANNE CALISTO College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 12); Majorette 11, 12 (co-captain 11, drum majorette 12); Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Usherette 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10.

Mariner...very independent...YELLOW ...on time?..."Are you kidding me?"...tall and pretty model...friendly...our striking drum majorette.

GUY JOSEPH CAPONE

"Al" College Prep.

Football 12; Basketball 10; Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Mixed Chorus 10; Key Club 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

The big, red Caddy...one of "the boys" ...Rams' Center...tapes everything...a real roamer...loves parties..."Is she for reals?

PAUL THOMAS CARPENTER "Carp" College Prep.

Football 11 (manager); Intramural Basketball 10, 11; Key Club 10, 11; Three One-Act Plays 10; Homeroom Officer (vice-president 10, 11, 12); Junior Prom Decora-tion Committee 11; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

Our woodsman..."Relax!"...Drives a mean green Chevy...short, blonde hair—his weakness...likes to strum the guitar.

JOSEPH FRANK CASTELLINO College Prep. "Casty"

French Club 11, 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag Carrier 11.

Banlon shirts . . . meticulous about his hair ... always making witty comments ... liked by everyone . . . our weightlifter? . . . C3H5(OH)3 . . . Dagwood sandwiches . . . Who did it?

EDWARD CAVALARI

"Heads" Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 11 (color guard); Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Always laughing...is partial to out-oftown girls...enjoys working on his car... quite a dancer..."My skates."

LYNDA ANN CHARLTON "Lyn" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 11, 12; Senior Band 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 11; Junior Prom Program Committee 11.

Chess Club...green eyes..Me, flirt?... Cut the comedy!...letters, letters, letters... our furniture refinisher . . . always late . . . Delaware Avenue.

CECELIA MARIE CHIAMPI "Cecelia" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11 (captain 11); Yearbook Staff 12; Student Council 11; F.T.A. 12; Chess Club 12 (secretary-treasurer); Library Club 10, 11, 12 (vice-president 10, secretary 12); Gym Team 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (treasurer); Junior Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 11.

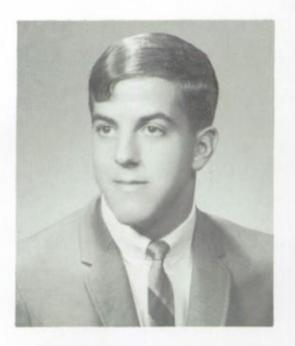
Calm and pensive...active Candy-Striper ...loves stuffed animals...detests rainy days enthusiastic Gym Team member...excellent chess player.

ELIZABETH CHIAMPI

College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; F.T.A. 11, 12 (historian 12); Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (president); Usherette 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10.

A dull moment with Betsy-NEVER! . . . that laugh...pink...found behind the wheel . . . sews beautifully . . . everyone's friend ...loves baking ... always happy.

















### DAVID GEORGE CHINTALA "Dave" Commercial

Track 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12 (vice-president 12); Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12 (asst. business mgr. 11, sr. business mgr. 12); Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Class Officer (secretary 12); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10, 11; Flag Carrier 10.

Our drummer...active trackman...dislikes sloppiness...usually with a certain girl ..."Hi"...Golf is his sport...very friendly and well-liked.

#### MARCIA ANN CHISLO

"Marcia" College Prep.
Yearbook Staff 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom
Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10; Flag Carrier 11.

Incredibly long eyelashes...beautiful hair ...serves a delicious sundae...hails from Dupont ... friendly and popular ... talented artist.

### ANTHONY EDWARD CLIFFORD College Prep.

Basketball 10; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (co-captain 10, 11); Key Club 11, 12; Student Council 10, 11, 12 (president 12); F.T.A. 11, 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; Radio Club 11 (vice-president); Chess Club 12; Class Officer (president 11); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 11; P.T.A. Program 12; Chapel Programs 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

Proud of being a "hick"...defends his Ford..."Irish"...collects coins...active Boy Scout...politician...Student Council president.

### LUCILLE ANNE COLANDRO "Lucille" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Student Council 12; F.T.A. 11, 12 (vice-president 12); Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 10 (president); Jr. Class Song Committee 11; Usherette 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 11, 12; Chapel Programs 12; Flag Carrier 10, 12.

Philosophical . . . petite . . . quotes from Sand and Foam . . . "Sharp!" . . . good books and poetry . . . Barbra Streisand fan . . . avid writer . . . clothes and shoes.

## SHARON LENORE CRAVATTA "Sharon" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Cheerleader 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Usherette 11; Flag Carrier 10.

Out-of-town boys...cheerleader with fantastic pep...um, butterpecan ice cream!... ambitious and determined...cheery smile.

### ANNE MARIE CULVER

"Anne" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer (secretarytreasurer 10, vice-president 11); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

Telephone addict..."Let's go for a walk!"
...sees only the good in people...biggest
weakness: spending money . . . a burgundy
Impala.

#### WARREN THOMAS DALE

"Deacon" General

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12.

Hunting and fishing enthusiast...staunch supporter of the Dodgers...collects books about professional athletes...white-wash expert...intramural basketball.

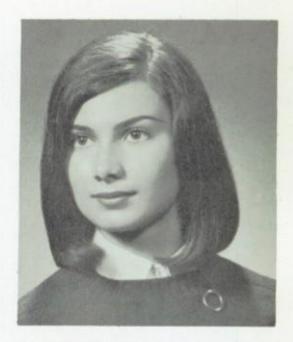
#### JAMES DeANGELO

"Jimmy"

General

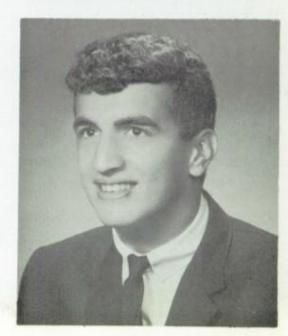
Football 10; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 10); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Fun lovin' guy . . . plays the guitar . . . dresses the way he pleases . . . curly, black hair . . . hard-working television installer.

















## JOHN ANTHONY DENISCO College Prep.

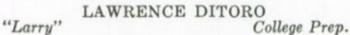
Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Usher 10; P.T.A. Program 11.

Usually found at the florist shop...has a flair for interior decorating...likes to travel..."You have to be kidding!"

## MARILYN LOUISE DETATO College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12 (assistant editor); Marching Band 10; Majorette 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12 (secretary 12); F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11 (chairman); Usherette 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 11, 12.

Drives a Chevy II...stylish clothes... majorette..."Going to Pete's?"... accomplished artist...charm bracelet enthusiast... math and chemistry...hard-working cashier?



Basketball 12; Track 11; Intramural Basketball 10, 11; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12 (district chorus 10); Key Club 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; French Club 10, 11, 12; Radio Club 10; Chess Club 12 (vice-president); Gym Team 10;; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 11; P.T.A. Program 10, 11; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

Eagle Scout...Key Club singers...A rose is a ROSE..."Hey!"...Grand Prix...needs money?...good cook...friendly personality.

### RICHARD PAUL DITORO "Rickifer" College Prep.

Basketball 11 (manager); Track 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; French Club 11, 12; Radio Club 11; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (treasurer); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 10; Chapel Programs 10; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

"I didn't do anything"...well liked by all...makes his ideas known...devoted baseball fan...always where the action is.

## PATRICIA ROMAYNE DOBLE "Trishy" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12: Yearbook Staff 12; Drill Team 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Usherette 10 11; ;Flag Carrier 11: Jr Prom Progrem Committee 11.

Coins her own words...NEAT...What a sense of humor!...collects college pennants...Drill Team...BROWN EYES...."Surely you jest!"

# "THOMAS ANTHONY DOBLE College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; Chess Club 12; Flag Carrier 12.

Country lad . . . "You've got to be kiddin'!" . . . intrigued by sports cars . . . enjoys a good joke . . . the go-cart episode.

### SHARON DONAHUE College Prep.

Yearbook Staff 12; Drill Team 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; F.T.A. 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (vice-president); Jr. Prom Program Committee 11.

"Shay"

"I lost it!"...navy blue...determined...
reads J. D. Salinger...friend forever...a natural nurse...perpetually happy...so very
trusting!

"Walter" ROBERT DRUMMOND College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; French Club 11, 12.

Has his own brand of humor...talented scientific wizard...usually found at home fixing transistor radios...a unique personality.

















## "Bev" BEVERLY RUTH DYMOND College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 10; Drill Team 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; P.T.A. Program 12.

"Me and Rembrandt"...dark-haired and petite...beautiful smile...unlimited pep and energy ... refreshingly unpredictable ... "mis dos caballos".

## DONNA LEIGH DYMOND "Donna" Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12.

Bookkeeping...paints in her spare time ...no homework complainers, please...likes to ice-skate...Happiness is graduating...quiet and intelligent.

## "MARY ANN EVANS College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Cheerleader 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12 (parliamentarian 12); Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; French Club 10, 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (vice-president); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 12; Flag Carrier 10, 12.

Loves to cheer and swim...our roving photographer... "You're kidding!"...a great procrastinator... Happiness is 6'1"...hates good-byes...stuffed animals.

### LILA MAE EYET

"Lila" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; French Club 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (president); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Quiet, friendly brunette...basketball enthusiast...lavender!...loves that algebra...
Sonny and Cher...likes watching T.V....
can't beat long drives.

## DOLORES JEAN FRONCZEK "Dolores" Commercial

Yearbook Staff 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Usherette 10.

Despises gossiping...spends week ends serving PIZZA..."What an appetite!"... speaks her mind...chatterbox...reserved desk in an office.

# "Nance" NANCY LOU FRUSHON College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Majorette 11, 12; F.T.A. 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 12; Flag Carrier 12.

Neat and natural...a snappy majorette ...adheres to her convictions...a mild disposition...never at a loss for dates.

#### PAUL GALICK

"Lats" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11; French Club 11.

Quiet boy from Dupont...at the "lanes" ... chemistry aficionado ... a hunter ... "le francais, s'il vous plait!"... Wilkes-bound student.

## John" JOHN ANTHONY GILLIS College Prep.

Football 11, 12 (manager 11); Track 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball 40, 11, 12; Key Club 12; Gym Team 10; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; P.T.A. Program 10, 12; Chapel Programs 12.

All-around sportsman..."Now would I lie?"...outdoorsman...million-dollar smile... likes Spanish class...care-free boy...future plans include attending college.

















MICHAEL A. GUILIANO

"Mike" College Prep.

Football 10; Track 10, 11; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Key Club 10, 11, 12; French Club 11, 12 (president 12); Slide Rule Club 12; 12 Chess Club (president 12); Gym Team 10, 11; Homeroom Officer 12 (secretary); Class Officer (vice-president 11, 12); Usher 11; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 11.

KEY CLUB . . . a true athlete . . . my brother, Victor . . . chess, anyone? . . . very friendly . . well liked . Italian, and proud of it!

DAVID THOMAS GUSS

"Gus" General

Football 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (president); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Li'l Dave ...likes math class ...roller skating—his forte ...dislikes Monday morning quarterbacks ... "I guess so" ...drives a Corvair.

WILLIAM ARTHUR HAVARD "Rabbi" College Prep.

Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 11, 12 (color guard); French Club 10, 11, 12 (senior director 12); Chess Club 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 10 (treasurer); Jr. Class Song Committee 11; P.T.A. Program 12; Chapel Programs 12; Flag Carrier 11.

Our French class leader...intellectual?...What a driver!...talkative...friendly personality...diverse interests...way-out sense of humor.

MARY LYNN HIMMELWRIGHT "Mary" College Prep.

Yearbook Staff 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12 (district chorus 11, 12, regional chorus 11, 12, vice-president 12); Glee Club 11, 12; Organ Club 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12 (treasurer 12); Library Club 10, 11, 12 (secretary 10); Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (president); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12.

Tall and attractive...knitting. anyone?
...Rock and roll, NEVER!...ambitious...
DOGS!...Happiness is helping others...never
without a medical book.

"Iggy" JOHN PAUL HINDMARSH

"Iggy" General
Golf 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12;
Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12 (president 12); Slide Rule Club 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Com

One of the "Dynamics"...our band president... "So what!"...a white Impala... Happiness is music, naturally... "Hi" for everyone.

ELWOOD HINES

"Rusty" College Prep.

Football 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; Chess Club 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

Versatile athlete . . . "Shotgun!" . . . no homework, please . . loves to sleep . . . la clase de espanol . . active Explorer Scout . . constant stream of jokes.

LINDA HOFFMAN

"Linda" Commercial
Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12.

Bowling enthusiast...never misses an Early Show...likes receiving letters, and taking funny photographs...forever missing the bus.

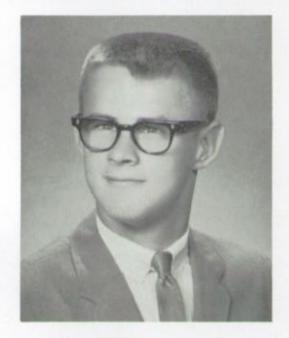
BERNADETTE MARIE HOGAN "Bernie" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12 (editor-in-chief); Marching Band 10; Majorette 11, 12 (captain 12); Senior Band 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Organ Club 10, 11, 12; Three One-Act Plays 10; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12 (treasurer 12); French Club 11, 12 (junior director 11); Slide Rule Club 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Refreshment Committee 11 (chairman); P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Program 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 11.

Prefers the strong, silent type... "Ask me if I care!"...captain of our "snappy majorettes"...competent leader...loyal through and through.

















### JACQUELYN HOWELL

"Jacq" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Jr. Prom Program Committee 11; Gym Team 10, 11, 12.

Swimming instructor...favorite town—Plymouth . . . enjoys getting the car and "BOMB"ing around . . . dancing—wild! . . . despises band practice . . . "Carry on, nurse!"

"VINCENT JOHN INSALACO College Prep.

Football 10; Track 10; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Flag Carrier 10.

Mathematically inclined . . . quite the Chrysler fan . . . often found working at the family store . . . "I like it like that."

#### LINDA ANN JONES

"Jonesy" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11; Drill Team 11; Library Club 10, 11, 12 (president 10); Homeroom Officer 10 (vice-president); Usherette 10.

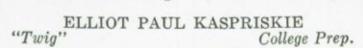
Friendly...swingin' music and dancing... GRAND PRIX . . . likes sincerity . . . good dresser...her eyes—stunning...has a flair for styling hair.

MARY A. KAISER

"Mary" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10; 11, 12.

Meetings, meetings...dislikes tardiness...athletically inclined..."Honestly!"...has a flair for cake-baking..."I could eat all day."



Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12 (president 12, district chorus 11, 12); Key Club 10, 11, 12 (treasurer 11, president 12); Student Council 10; Organ Club 10; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; Homeroom Officer 11 (president); Class Officer 12 (president); Jr. Class Song Committee 11 (chairman); P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 12.

BLUE eyes...PIANIST...that certain cheerleader..."Come on, you guys!"...a music man...Happiness is "Key Club in Action!"

"Pat" PATRICIA ANN KELLY College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Program 12; Flag Carrier 10.

"What a dandy!"...handy with a needle and thread...usually found in Pittston... enjoys literature...a future in social work.

LINDA S. KING

"Linda" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12.

Roundup...boys with freckles...plans to wield a hickory stick...thinks she talks too much...active in Girl Scouts.

ROSEANN KIVAK

"Roseann" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Drill Team 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Usher-

Likes BUTCHIES, football games, and madras... "Why, you"... dislikes untidy boys ... makes with the jokes... frequent patron of local pizza parlor.

















## "Barb" BARBARA ANN KRAUSE College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10.

One of our famed Mariners...happiness—a warm summer day...What a swimmer!... pajama parties?...typical teenager...always on the go.

### "Joe" JOSEPH LABATY, III "Joe" College Prep.

Football 12; Track 10, 11, 12; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher

Quite a card shark . . . great sense of humor . . . drives his gold Chevy . . never a dull moment . . . our locker-room clown.

# "Carol" CAROL MARIE LEFCHAK College Prep.

Student Council 12 (secretary 12); Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12.

Carefree...our little nurse...heart of gold...contagious laughter...beams happiness...stunning dresser...annoyed by conceited people..."Really?"

# "Jeanine" JEANINE ANN LELLO Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 10, 11, 12); Yearbook Staff 12; Student Council 11; F.T.A. 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12 (asst. bus. mgr. 11, jr. high bus. mgr. 12); Homeroom Officer (secretary-treasurer 10, 12); Speechof-the-Week Club 12; P.T.A. Program 12; Flag Carrier 12.

Telephone conversations . . . on time? NEVER! . . . expert Business Manager . . . a certain football player!! . . "I need a ride home!" . . office desk reserved for her.

## MARY ELIZABETH LOYD "Mary" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Drill Team 10, 11; F.T.A. 11; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10.

Mocha-chip ice cream, always...dislikes complainers...fond of wild sweaters...talented cook..."You know what I mean!"

## MARILYN C. MANGANELLO "Marilyn" Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Drill Team 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12.

Neat as a pin...ALWAYS in a rush...
"What a laugh!"...ardent Drill Team member...dabbler in the arts.

## ANTHONY J. MANGANIELLO General

Intramural Basketball 10, 11; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Quiet...has a knack for getting into trouble...New Jersey..."That's life"...en-joys hunting...likes working on cars.

### FRANCES JEAN McDONNELL "Frani" Commercial

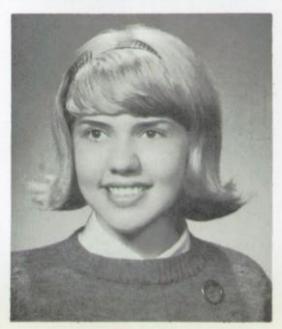
Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12.

Our chef..."He's a dandy!"...clothes, clothes, clothes...successful secretary...likes to meet interesting people...quiet?

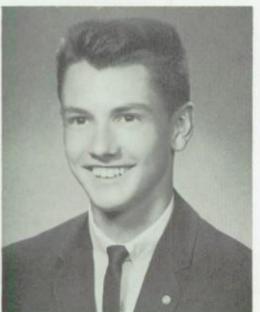
















### RITA ANN MEKEEL

"Rita" Commercial Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (secretary).

Boosts the morale of a certain serviceman ... collects stuffed animals . . "You don't say!" ... cute... will be seen behind a desk.

CAROL ANN MIKOLS

Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 11, 12.

So much homework!!!...detests teased hair...collector of mystery novels...Beach Boy fan...favors the U.S. Air Force.

"Tom" THOMAS WILLARD MONK College Prep.

Track 10, 12 (manager 10); Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 11 (color guard); Mixed Chorus 11, 12 (treasurer 12); Key Club 10, 11, 12 (vice-president 12); Slide Rule Club 12; Gym Team 10, 12; Homeroom Officer (president 10, vice-president 11, president 12); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; P.T.A. Programs 12; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

Hails from Hughestown...an outdoors-man..."Hey, fella!"...pet racoon—Bud... friendly smile...pleasing personality...dislikes wise guys...collects guns.

ELLEN FRANCIS MOSS

College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 11 (banner carrier); Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; F.T.A. 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10, 12; P.T.A. Program 11, 12; Chapel Programs 11, 12;

Cool, cute, and collegiate Ellen ... nonconformist...possibilities as a dramatic actress...very peppy and full of mischief ... dressed to perfection.

GERALDINE MARIE NOCERINI "Gerri" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Drill Team 10, 11, 12 (captain 12); Student Council 10, 11; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (president); Usherette 10; P.T.A. Program 12; Flag Carrier 11.

TERRIFIC sense of humor...calls the flanks and columns...known for "different" shoes...never at a loss for words.

GRACE ANN PALERMO "Gracie" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Student Council 12 (treasurer); Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 10 (president); Chapel Programs 11.

"My temper!" . . . WYOMING . telephone conversations, wow! . . "It really is!" . . . wild dancer . . . NEIGHBORS!! . . . ice skating, anyone? . . . cooking enthusiast . . . future R. N.

"Pat" PATRICIA HELEN PREBOLA College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11; Drill Team 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag Carrier 11, 12.

"Oh, No!" . . . petite pert, brunette . . . loves big, sad eyes...Drill Team practice... flair for a Rams fullback...successful beauti-

MARY PATRICIA REED

"Mary Pat" Commercial

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 12 (banner carrier); Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (treasurer); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10.

One of the Club..."Ask me if I care"... dislikes know-it-alls . . . banner-carrier . . . friendly smile . . . expert diver.

















### ROBERT F. RICHARDS

"Bob" College Prep.

Football 10; Track 12; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11; Radio Club 11, 12 (president 12); Flag Carrier 10, 11.

Ham radio operator...loathes homework ...is found everywhere...dislikes a CERTAIN expression..."Fine business"...bright future in electronics.

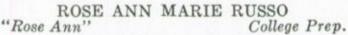
### KAREN ROCHE

"Karen"

College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; Majorette 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; P.T.A. Program 10, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10.

"Come off it!"...What a tongue-wagger on the telephone!...her specialty is music... finds students at Wilkes quite interesting!



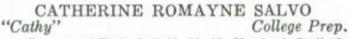
Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Cheerleader 11, 12; F.T.A. 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (vice-president); Usherette 12; Chapel Programs 12; Flag Carrier 10, 12; Jr. Prom Pro-gram Committee 11.

Cheers for the Rams...hates to be kept waiting...Sunday afternoons in her "Black Catalina"...yea! yea! football games...successful future? undoubtedly!

PATRICIA ANN SALERNO "Pat" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; French Club 10, 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 11, 12; P.T.A. Programs 12 P.T.A. Programs 12.

On her way to Wyoming...often seen in a CERTAIN Pontiac...warm-hearted smile ...clarinet...procrastinator...will be a General nurse.



Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Organ Club 10, 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12 (vice-president); Speech-of-the; Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 10 (president); Jr.-Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Usherette 10; P.T.A. Program 12; Flag Carrier 11.

A gay miss...quite the drama student... never a better friend . . . Try to find a quiet second around Cathy!!

ANTHONY GERALD SCALZO "Sketch" College Prep.

Football 10, 11, 12 (acting co-captain 12); Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10, 11, 12 (vice-president 12); Gym Team 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (treasurer); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag

A certain farm in Harding...Hunting season is the best time of year ... sports enthusiast...never, never, never QUIET!

GAIL MARLENE SCHWARTZ College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 11); Marching Band 11, 12 (banner carrier); Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Usherette 10.

Mariner Scout...skiing and sailing... dance enthusiast..."I'll see ya!"...banner-carrier...agile Gym Team member...future "angel of mercy."

MARSHA RUTH SCOTT

"Scottie" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Mixed Chorus 12; Glee Club 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; French Club 11, 12 (secretary 12); Library Club 10, 11, 12 (president 11, 12); Class Officer 11 (secretary); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Jr. Class Song Committee 11; Student Reporter 12; Usherette 12; Chapel Programs 12; Flag Carrier 11.

Always smiling...Senior Girl Scout... loves to write ... "M'car!" ... sport reporter ... sec with specs...plays a mean guitar.



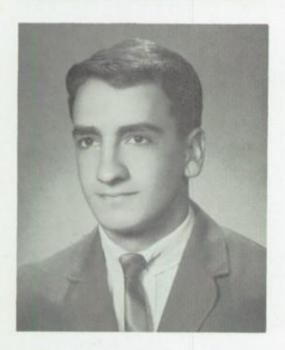














DIANE JEANNE SEARFOSS

"Towhead" Commercial Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 10); Yearbook Staff 12; Cheerleader 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Speechof-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer (treasurer 10, secretary-treasurer 11); Jr. Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Usherette 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

"Anyone for pizza?"...spirited cheerleader...dislikes people who break promises ... a BIG smile ... Wow, those P.O.D. classes! ... Mariner ... sports-minded.

MICHAEL ANTHONY SEPSICK College Prep. Basketball 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 12.

Basketball star...gift of gab...give him a G.T.O...quite the bowler..."Soupy"...'62 Impala...physics?...everything's a weakness.

"Brenda" BRENDA JO SHEPLER College Prep. Yearbook Staff 12; Drill Team 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 11, 12; Three One-Act Plays 10; F.T.A. 12; French Club 11, 12; Radio Club 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Jr. Prom Program Committee 11; P.T.A. Programs 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 12

DEBATES...never a dull moment... always in the library...impatient...sign carrier...puns..."Be good"...organized?...Senior Girl Scout.

RHYS ALLAN SHERMAN

Football 10; Track 10, 11; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12 (treasurer 12); Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12 (district chorus 12); P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10.

Our redhead trumpet-tooter...favors the Dodgers...has a certain interest in Moosic... likes Mixed Chorus. . . another coin collector.

GREGORY R. SHINER

"Greg" College Prep. Football 10, 11, 12; Track 10; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Chess Club 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Soft-spoken country lad with a pleasing personality...enjoys the great outdoors... Rams' halfback . . . likes to sing . . . "Mr. Irresistble."

"Shookie" KAREN LEWIS SHOOK College Prep. Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (manager 12); Yearbook Staff 12 (assistant editor); Marching Band 10; Majorette 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12 (secretary 12); French Club 11, 12; Radio Club 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12 (secretary 11); Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; P.T.A. Programs 11, 12; Chapel Programs 11, 12; Jr. Prom Program Committee 11 (chairman).

Individualistic...NEVER on time...long, brown hair . . . majorette . . . Oh, to own a motorcycle!... Moosic phone calls...a perky wait-

GEORGE STERLING SIMONS

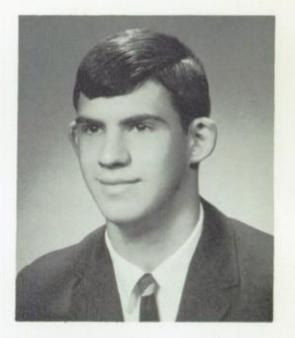
"George" College Prep. Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12 (assistant editor); Marching Band 11, 12 (color guard); Mixed Chorus 10, 11, 12 (district chorus 12); Key Club 10, 11, 12; Three One-Act Plays 10; F.T.A. 11, 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Chess Club 12; Usher 10, 11; P.T.A. Program 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10.

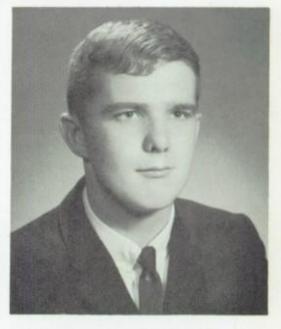
Quite the harmonizer...intellect plus... "Where's your slide rule?" knack for placing" things ... enjoys folk music ... What a procrastinator!

ROBERT NELSON SMILES

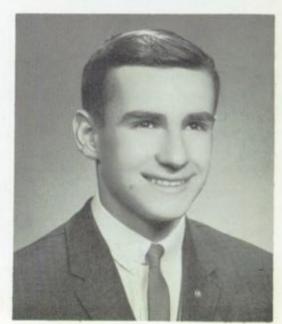
"Fox" College Prep. Football 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12 (assistant editor); Senior Band 10; Key Club 10, 11, 12 (director); F.T.A. 11, 12 (president 12); Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12 (president 12); Gym Team 10; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Usher 10; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 10, 12.

"This meeting will please come to order!" ... Happiness—a blue Rambler...organized and efficient ... diplomatic ... "Do you want a fine?"

















# "Beatle" KEVIN HOWARD SMITH College Prep.

Track 10, 11; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Mixed Chorus 10; Key Club 12; Student Council 10; Radio Club 11; Slide Rule Club 12; Gym Team 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

Ladies' man...66 Club meetings...annoyed by show-offs..."What?"...pool shark ...one of the paint-and-easel set.

## ANNE MARIE SORICELLI "Anne Marie" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Usherette 10; Flag Carrier 11.

Oh, that dimple!...a white Fairlane... espanol, por favor... "It's about the fact!"... desires true friendship... PITTSTON boys... ties up the phone.

# STEPHEN EMIL STANCZAK "Steve" College Prep.

Football 12 (manager); Intramural Basketball 11, 12; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; P.T.A. Programs 11, 12; Chapel Programs 11, 12.

Seen driving a big Cadillac...quite the percussionist...our manager, Steve...one of the tallest members of the class.

### RICHARD PHELPS STANKUS "Rich" College Prep.

Football 10; Track 10; Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Senior Band 10; Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Key Club 10, 11, 12; Student Council 10; Nat, Hon. Soc. 11, 12; Slide Rule Club 12; Chess Club 12; Gym Team 10; Homeroom Officer (treasurer 10, 11, 12); Class Officer (treasurer 11, 12); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10, 11, 12; P.T.A. Programs 10, 11, 12; Chapel Programs 10, 11, 12; Flag Carrier 11, 12.

Tall and handsome...bookstore "proprietor"...found everywhere on his Yamaha ...enjoys sleeping late...active Boy Scout... our MONEYman.

### "El" ELLEN CAROL STASCAVAGE College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12.

Clothes, clothes, clothes...Happiness is good food and puppies...daily commuter from Duryea...She gets letters...cheerful...Washington, D.C.

## GERALD ANTHONY STOFKO "Stiff" General

Gym Team 10; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10.

"Wanta race?"...great roller-skater...an ardent hunter...likes fast cars...a daily commuter from Falls...What a jokester!

### RAYMOND THOMAS College Prep.

Gym Team 10, 12; Homeroom Officer 10 (treasurer); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

"Speed"

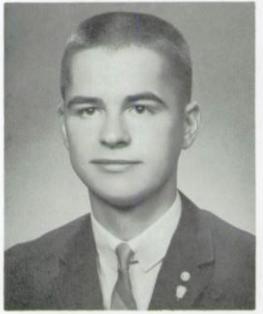
Long, tall Ray...usually found in Falls ...mathematically inclined...Oh, that hair! ...expert marksman..."Five more days 'til Friday."

### MARY ALICE TURKOS "Mary Alice" Commercial

Yearbook Staff 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Magazine Drive 10, 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (treasurer); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usherette 10.

Enjoys P.O.D. class...dislikes insincere people...weakness for short boys...Happiness is having your own car..."What's this madness?"

















## MARVIN VAN AUKEN College Prep.

Quiet but friendly...likes good food... dislikes show-offs..."Too bad!"...a very active member of the Naval Reserve.

## "Wacker" JOSEPH JOHN WACHS General

Football 12; Slide Rule Club 12.

Spirit of the Rams...talented Speed-shifter..."Let's go, defense!"...has his own views..."Happiness is bagging a deer."

### RALPH WALTER

"Giz"

College Prep.

Football (manager 10, 11, 12); Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Senior Band 10, 11; Key Club 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12 (treasurer); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Flag Carrier 11.

Food...enjoys algebra class...a 1958 Buick..."Kiss me"...frequently found with the "boys"...will wear the Air Force blue.

### CHARLES WEED

"Charlie"

College Prep.

Key Club 10, 11, 12; Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Usually at the gas station...detests unplanned week ends...Honda...long blonde hair ... Who's driving that Mustang?...honorary Italian.

## "Mouse" RONALD BARRY WHITE General

Basketball 12 (manager); Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 12); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11.

Wide open country...enjoys hunting and fishing...can usually be found in the gym... quite a sense of humor.

### CAROL REGINA ANN WIERBOWSKI

"Carol"

College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 12; Yearbook Staff 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12; Usherette 10; Flag Carrier 11.

So, so, quiet..."What?"..."Little Betty Crocker"...talks fast...dabbler in the arts...works in the library...future Florence Nightingale.

## JOHN JOSEPH WILLIAMSON College Prep.

Football 10, 11, 12 (captain 12); Basketball 10, 11, 12; Key Club 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer (vice-president 10, president 11, 12); Usher 11; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

A great asset to the Rams...personality plus...popular...tall, dark, and handsome ...dislikes lazy people...What a physique!

### HARRY KEITH WILLS

"Bait"

General

Football 10; Basketball 10; Track 11; Intramural Basketball (captain 10, 11, 12); Slide Rule Club 12; Gym Team 10; Homeroom Officer (vice-president 10, treasurer 11); Jr. Prom Decoration Committee 11; Usher 10; Flag Carrier 10, 11.

A real redhead ... "Back down!" ... favors a certain country miss... give him summer any time... enjoys being a mechanic.











LORRAINE RITA WISNOSKY "Lori" Collegé Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 11, 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12 (treasurer 10); Jr. Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Chapel Programs 12.

May Queen—1965... "Who's late?"... BLONDS... petite and sweet... football season—best time of the year... NAVY BLUE ... Worry? Never!





ELAINE CAROL YANKOSKY "Elaine" College Prep.

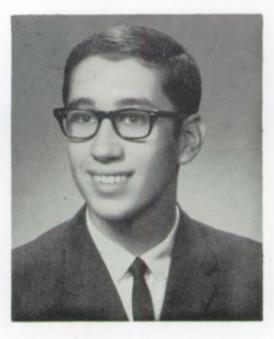
Intramural Basketball 10, 11, 12 (captain 10, 12, manager 11); Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11, 12; F.T.A. 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11, 12 (vice-president 12); Slide Rule Club 12; Chess Club 12; Library Club 10, 11, 12 (vice-president 11); Speech-of-the-Week Club 12; Homeroom Officer 11 (president); Jr. Prom Refreshment Committee 11; Usherette 12; P.T.A. Programs 12; Flag Carrier 10, 11, 12.

Wyoming fan...math..."If you say so!"...sports enthusiast ...dislikes unjust favoritism...
BLUE...consoles everyone...una amiga de todos.

### MYRNA MARGARET LAIRD "Myrna" College Prep.

Intramural Basketball 10, 11; Drill Team 10, 11 (co-captain 11); Glee Club 11; Three One-Act Plays 10 (student director); F.T.A. 11; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; French Club 11; Library Club 10, 11; Gym Team 10, 11; Homeroom Officer 11 (president); Jr. Class Song Committee 11; Usherette 10.

Myrna has had the honor of representing West Pittston High School and the Class of '66 as a member of the Rotary Exchange. She spent her senior year studying in Kushiro, Japan. While in Japan, she gained not only aca-



GEORGE EUGENE ZORGO "Chad" College Prep.

Yearbook Staff 12; Marching Band 10, 11, 12; Senior Band 10, 11 (district band 11, regional band 11); Mixed Chorus 11, 12; Key Club 12; Nat. Hon. Soc. 11; French Club 11, 12; Speech-of-the-Week Club 12.

Girls with long, auburn hair ...can usually be found day-dreaming...dislikes sloppy people and unfair teachers...scuba diver.

demic knowledge but also an understanding of Japanese culture and customs.

As a member of West Pittston High School, she participated in many activities. She was cocaptain of Drill Team, a member of F.T.A., Gym Team, and Girls' Glee Club.

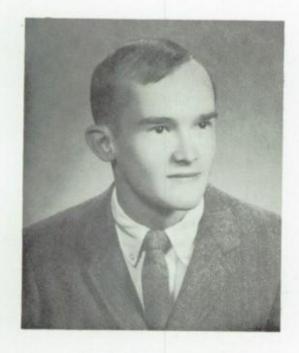
When Myrna returns, she will enter college, hoping to major in mathematics or science.

We, the Class of '66, are proud that one of our members helped to promote better international understanding.





## In Memoriam



JAY ALEXANDER



VINCENT CARROZZA

Tears and laughter, sorrows and joys, agonies and ecstasies—all are emotions in life. This year our class faced such an experience through the sorrows of death. We must realize, however, that we had the joy of knowing Jay Alexander and Vincent Carrozza as our friends and classmates. Sharing the grief and loss of the families of these classmates, we offer our condolences to them. We present this Caravan in memory of Jay Alexander and Vincent Carrozza.

Throughout our lives
We must face
Many sorrows
Time won't erase.

We don't question
What God commands;
We accept
What He demands.

Our friends are happy
In heaven above,
Where they share
God's infinite love.

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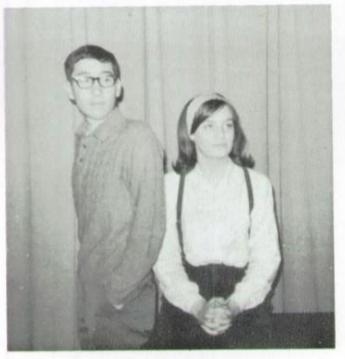
Best Athlete Barbara Krause — John Williamson



Best Dressed
Karen Calisto — Guy Capone



Most Ambitious Marsha Scott—Nelson Smiles



Class Flirt
Nancy Frushon — George Zorgo



Best All Around Karen Shook — Nelson Smiles





Most Intelligent
Bernadette Hogan — George Simons



Class Comedian
Patty Doble — Billy Havard



 $\frac{Most\ Talkative}{\text{Brenda Shepler} - \text{Mike Sepsick}}$ 







 $\begin{array}{c} \textit{Most Reliable} \\ \text{Marilyn Detato} & -\text{Nelson Smiles} \end{array}$ 



Friendliest
Marsha Scott — Chipper Bell

P O L L



Quietest Carol Wierbowski — Paul Galick



Best Looking
Karen Calisto — Kevin Smith

E, THE SENIORS OF 1966, having come to the end of our high school career, must dispose of our possessions. As the curtain falls on the last act, our senior year, we must clear the stage of our more valuable properties. Our friends, the juniors, are our heirs. We hope they will use their inheritance wisely during their final performance.

Thus, being of sound mind and body, we hereby bequeath:

Sketch Scalzo's football, Mike Aquilina's basketball, and Rusty Hines' track shoes to Ed Connors, Jim Devers, and Tommy Zenobi, respectively; and Bernie Hogan's, Mary Rita Borr's, and Tony Clifford's leadership qualities to Peggy Hogan, Bernie Borr, and Mike Clifford.

Elliot Kaspriskie's "little black book" to Paul Marranca; Greg Shiner's seat on the school bus to John Jurchak; John Denisco's well-known laugh to Aggie Stockmal; Sharon Cravatta's rubber bands to Jane Troiani; George Zorgo's constant stream of jokes to Jimmy Bubul; Linda Jones' eye shadow to Toni Chiampi; Joe Castellino's volley-ball ability to Joe Cordora; and "Barrel" Stankus' Yamaha to Fred Loquasto.

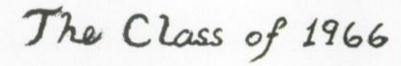
Grace Palermo's indecision to Tosca Chiampi; Bob Drummond's unusual speeches to Danny Kettell; Jeanine Lello's shorthand tablet to Avelene Zorgo; Mary Alice Turkos' waitress apron to Carol Amico; Tom Carpenter's guitar picks to Mike Bruno; Bev Dymond's trumpet to Danny Davis; Rose Ann Russo's "fickleness" to Donna Guss; and Giz Walter's appetite to Jimmy Latorre.

Elaine Yankosky's basketball manners to Cynthia Chiampi; Carol Wierbowski's quiet ways to Gail Vanderburg; Linda Boos' sweet innocence to Tina Medico; Ray Thomas' indifference to diligent Pat Mantione; Jack Williamson's height to Billy Langan; Mike Sepsick's gift of gab to Tommy Park; Betsy Chiampi's liveliness to Anne Lovecchio; and Rose Ann Kivak's and Bonnie Brodbeck's natural blonde hair to Celeste Reedy and Annette Porter.

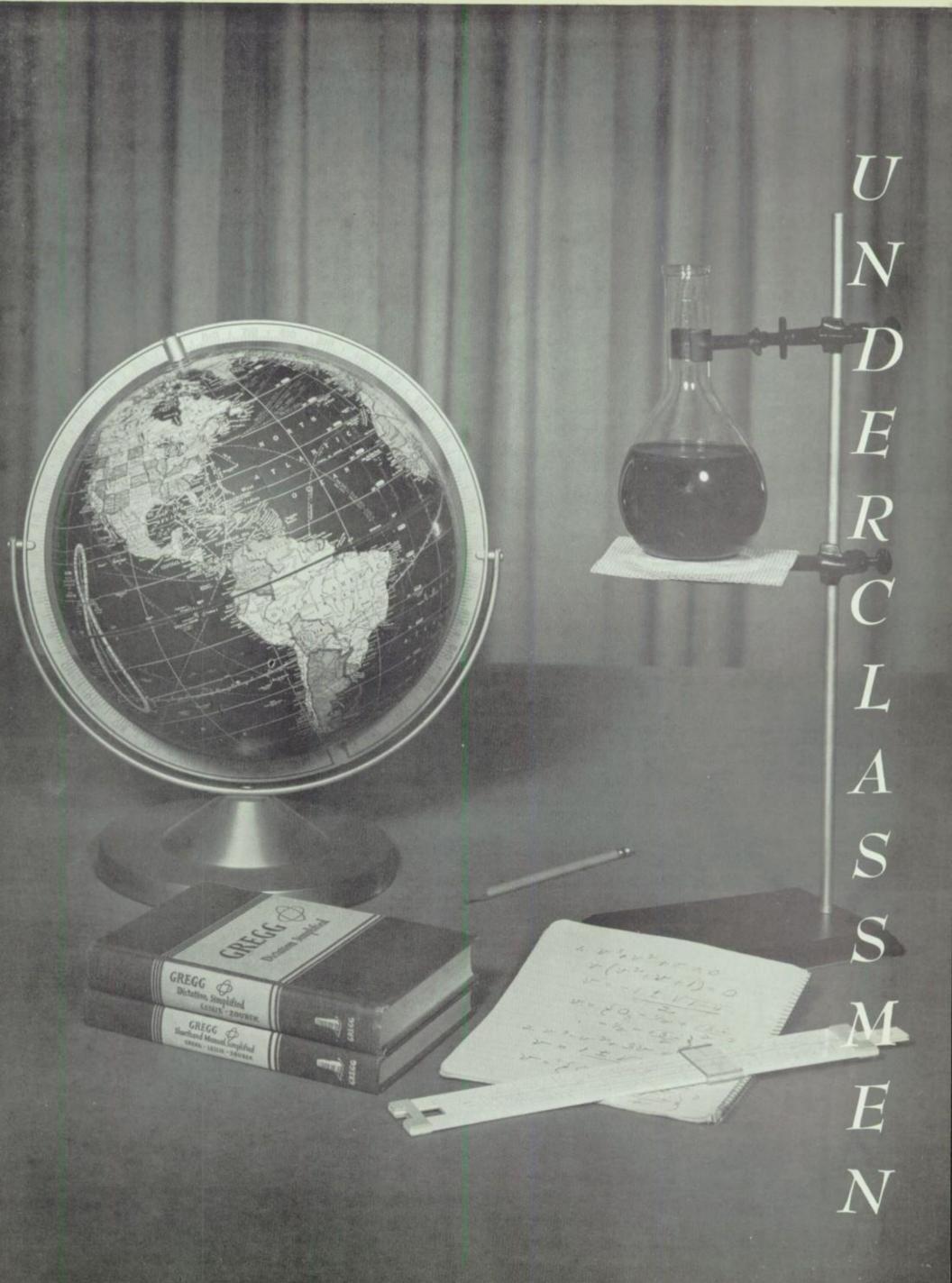
Mary Ann Evans' pep to Judy Starna; Brenda Shepler's curly hair to Nadine VanTuyle; Gerri Nocerini's flirty manner to Theresa Alaimo; Patty Doble's sense of humor to Charlotte Mammarella; Charlie Weed's blushing ability to Pam Wruble; Jerry Stofko's shop ability to Jimmy Hankey; Lila Eyet's easy manner to Kate Burke; George Simons' vocabulary to Dom Aritz; Marsha Scott's ambition to Barry Finn; Karen Calisto's composure to Madaline Montante; and Ellen Moss' way with the opposite sex to Barbara Sickler.

To the entire junior class we leave Joe Wach's and Larry Ditoro's school spirit; Lucille Colandro's culture; Marilyn Detato's brains; Eddie Burke's sense of humor; and Rabbi's blessings.

So be it!











### ELEVENTH GRADE GIRLS

Left to right: First Row—Lynne Palermo, Madeline Montante, Judy Starna, Mary Ellen Mikols, Judy Keyes, Annette Porter, Kathy Lavelle, Jayne Epstein, Betty Morgan, Theresa Alaimo, Mary Bulford, Joy Colarusso, Barbara Sickler, Susan Schollenberger, Sheila Kelly, Theresa Cerza. Second Row—Avelene Zorgo, Nancy Traher, Janice Romanowski, Sandy Cahill, Ann Lovecchio, Jane Troiani, Gloria Adonizio, Barbara Smith, Linda Evans, Melissa Corcoran, Lois Davies, Phyllis Cumbo, Jo Ann Andaloro, Barbara Soska, Gail Vanderburg, Anne O'Connell, Celeste Reedy, Sally Fear. Third Row—Joan Martin, Kathryn Burke, Karen Clelland, Patty Ramage, Janet Amico, Charlotte Mammarella, Barbara Memory, Joyce Antosh, Corliss Hurrey, Cynthia Chiampi, Mary Lauck, Tosca Chiampi, Nadeen VanTuyle, Agnes Stockmal, Donna Gozikowski, Cathy Meli, Pamela Wruble. Fourth Row—Michele Wills, Linda Lane, Carol Amico, Eleanor Gustitus, Donna Fuehrer, Roseann Naples, Barbara Keder, Linda Black, Gail Gaynor, Diane Crane, Paulette Vanavage, Mary Lou Hancock, Dolores Seidel, Carmella Manganiello, Concetta Parente, Irma Menn, Peggy Hogan, Linda Karichner. Absent—Antoinette Chiampi, Frances Gilligan, Tina Medico, Jane Smink, Frances Wachs.

# Juniors



### ELEVENTH GRADE BOYS

Left to right: First Row—Charles Manganiello, Joseph Wideman, Jim LaTorre, William Langan, Mike Langan, Richard Sickler, Lon Hoover, Kent Bratlee, Steve Gauger, Frank Delaney, Donald Parry, Tom Park, Patrick Mantione, Aldan Lori, Eugene Kern, Brad Mahalsky, Dave Williams, Richard Salerno. Second Row—John Portelli, Bernie Borr, Mike Pugliese, Michael Bruno, Joe Cordora, John Jurchak, Tommy Wheeler, Ronnie Holmschek, Ronnie Kishell, Norman Jopling, Don Davis, Jim Butera, Daniel Davis, Domnick Aritz, George Turner, Eddie Connors, Barry Finn, Robert Di-Pasquale, Jack Owens, Frank Rutledge, Anthony Salerno, Louis Manganiello, Tommy Kudrako. Third Row—Thomas Zenobi, Barry Hosier, Robert Watson, William Jones, Paul Marranca, James Hankey, Bill Welliver, Ralph Scull, Jim Bubul, Torre Lippi, Jim Devers, Bob Morgan, John Labar, Fred Loquasto, Mike Clifford, Biagio Manganiello, Stephen Williams, James Zambetti, Harry Salavantis, Danny Kettell, Brian Powers, Al Felker. Absent—Sebastian Gattuso, Barry Jacobs, William Umbauer.



#### TENTH GRADE GIRLS

Left to right: First Row—Ann Marie Latona, Mary Lou Shannon, Judy Russo, Sandra Agolino, Florence White, Sharon Scott, Margaret Marcy, Mary Ellen Dziak, Karen Strubeck, Maureen Cleveland, Angela Hindmarsh, Mariel Denisco, Brenda Littzi, Karen Hronick, Angela Falzone, Michele Cravatta, Karen Stauffer, Lana Best, Judy Anne Tischler, Betsy Alling, Beth Anne Voigt. Second Row—Susan Labaty, Sonya Petcavage, Lynne Whitlock, Gail Rogers, Shirley Green, Christine Chonka, Linda Lanzone, Mildred Monie, Jacquelyn Van Tuyle, Eleanor Rezykowski, Helen MacLellan, Charlotte Harding, Esther Spinelli, Sandra DeCurtis, Genevieve Ann Ryder, Georgia Bainbridge, Lauren Harris, Ellen Powers, Carol Gorgone. Third Row—Joan Stead, Susan Ditoro, Cynthia Cunningham, Mary Ellen Hoban, Phyllis Todd, Edith Morgan, Linda Ferretti, Carolyn Headley, Carmelita Jerrytone, Lois Parente, Anne Agolino, Jeanne Recine, Lynn Levey, Cheryl Lloyd, Patty Lane, Christine Delicati, Marilyn Loftus, Missy Reed, Regina Wierbowski, Mary Ann Werts. Fourth Row—Darlene Morse, Mary Saraceno, Carolyn Rome, Gloria Strubeck, Noreen Williamson, Ramona Lugar, Pat Davis, Doreen Detato, Theresa Iacona, Patricia Berulis, Elizabeth Rooney, Lillian Monahan, Joan Adrian, Kathie Shook, Nancy Himmelwright, Donna Pritchard, Charlene Bellas, Debbie Hudock, Maureen McHugh. Absent—Renee D'Angelo, Judy Littzi, Gail McDonnell, Patricia Simko.

# Sophomores



### TENTH GRADE BOYS

Left to right: First Row—Donald Daniels, Carl Genzel, William Dickinson, Ronald Booth, Raymond Gilroy, Mike Pramick, Richard Reese, Richard Ritts, Fred Southern, Billy Simonson, Bernard Smith, Dale Reese, Ed Bilder, Guy Fasciana, Joseph Bender, Kenard Sands, Joseph Yanchunas. Second Row—Kenneth Richards, Albert Manganello, Dennis H. Coolbaugh, Kenny Marsola, Frank Wanko, Joseph McGarry, Ernie Searfoss, Albert Clapps, Mike Donahue, Gordon Lamberson, Dave Todd, Samuel Rizzo, Tommy Billinge, James Gilligan, Charles Salvo, Wayne Gravell, Louis Borino, Pat Williams, James McCann. Third Row—Nicholas Babish, James Coolbaugh, James Scherer, Alan Hanusin, Ray Donnora, Pat Donahue, Robert Ramage, Kenny Heal, Albert Joseph, John Sammon, Joe Berulis, Ross J. Alaimo, Joe Walsh, Barry Stankus, Michael Mariani, Dennis O'Reilly, James Bosco, John Schlosser, Joe Fronczek, Don Stanczak, Doug Widmer. Absent—Charles Brundage.



### NINTH GRADE GIRLS

Left to right: First Row—Mary Walsh, Ann DeGennaro, Cathy Brown, Virginia Noble, Barbara Ramage, Karen Dymond, Diane Gravell, Barbara Dente, Tina Medico, Beth Krause, Dorrie Volpe, Mary Coccetti, Ella Wells, Linda Wideman, Anne Basta, Patty Lepore. Second Row—Rosie Condosta, Cathy Manganiello, Pattie Valenti, Ruth Rebecca Werts, Linda Serino, Donna Finn, Debbie Wheeler, Renee Kudrako, Cathy Shobert, Peggy Morgan, Mary Louise Manganiello, Irene Fronduti, Patricia Shimonis, Susan Phethean, Mary Ann Hovan, Connie Colella, Diane Grabosky, Diane Bohr, Catherine Bosco. Third Row—Margaret Burke, Jane Shultz, Melena Stocker, Patti Kraynak, Kathleen Boone, Diane Manganero, Debby Richardson, Ellen Schmaltz, Mary Claire Reedy, Theodora Franz, Maria Turoni, Jenesse Corcoran, Margaret Belmont, Paula Bubul, Brenda Welliver, Karen Mark, Terry Weisberger, Helen Migliosi. Fourth Row—Marijo Tabone, Helen Salavantis, Frances Cairl, Joan Krouchick, Debby Smith, Debby Sokirka, Theresa Zalepa, Karen Freid, Cynthia Littzi, Judy Brown, Danise Codekas, Mary Claire Adrian, Cheryl Devers, Linda Dymond, Norma Orth, Joan Simalchik. Absent—Linda Albright, Connie Cordora.

# Freshmen



### NINTH GRADE BOYS

Left to right: First Row—Robert Starna, Victor Guiliano, Romeyn Vose, Richie Amico, Edward Walsh, Thomas Wachs, Paul Lauck, Joseph Hogan, Michael Chiampi, John Keaney, Warren Wells, George Little, John Edward Pope, James Connors, Larry Scherer, Martin Borr, David Wisnosky. Second Row—Jerome Walsh, Edward Kosik, Donald Brunges, Andrew Vavrick, Pat Tischler, Charles Mecadon, John Hogan, Anthony Dominic, Joe Antosh, Antonio Alampi, Robert Bullions, Robert Pritchard, Louis Michael Champi, Harold Kitzman, John Yakobitis, Nelson Vanderhoff, Robert Bannon, Kim Hoover, Cataldo Medico, Charles Cairl, Jim Herron, Gregory Kolojeski. Third Row—Walter Rezykowski, Louis Berti, Ronald Hankey, Daniel Marconi, Andrew Fronczek, Harold Seiple, Richard Young, Larry Burke, Joel Ostrowski, Robert Stahl, John Kivak, Billy Anzalone, Joe Gillespie, Mike Butera, Walter Repasky, Charles Mantione, Billy Sheridan, Billy Pope, Steryl Jones, Chris Economopoulos. Fourth Row—Ed Janoski, Joe Cella, William Felker, John Rada, Joseph Cook, George Stanton, Richard Martinelli, Billy Hastie, John Ford, James Hawkins, Santo Sperrazza, Tony Williams, Don Carsia, James Gustainis, George Gentile, Tom Ohl, Joe Cotter, Charles Chiampi, Jimmie Boos, Sebastian Jerrytone.



### EIGHTH GRADE GIRLS

Left to right: First Row—Susan Shannon, Teresa Krouchick, Dolores Perry, Joanne Richardson, Kathy Delaney, Evelyn Novick, Fern Walter, Susan Smiles, Ethel Cravatta, Ann Marie Vince, Mary Terese Scarantino, Debbie Ditoro, Ann Soska, Janet Potoski, Mary Ann Foersch, Gerry Borr, Patricia Ann Mikolaichik, Nancy Hancock. Second Row—Paula DeAngelo, Sandra Bender, Madalyn Brundage, Ann Mikols, Ruth Lucy, Jean Evans, Janet Evans, Donna Adrian, Virginia Davis, Judy Menn, Colleen McCole, Dorothy Herron, Donna Caprari, Margaret Loyd, Bridgette Walsh, Dolly Parry, Virginia Tompkins, Christine Tabone, Linda Scatena, Josey Cumbo, Silvia Luckasavage, Dolores Cockerham. Third Row—Anna Mae Bauman, Jane Antal, Elaine Havard, Mary Salavantis, Bonnie Rogers, Dawn Shaffer, Linda Owens, Mary Jurchak, Diana Giovannini, Diane Butt, Barbara Bartos, Kathleen Keder, Darlene Gifford, Suzanne Scott, Jean Gilroy, Mary Ann Bruno, Nora Bonser, Jan Turner, Wendy Vanderhoff, Nancy Manganello, Sherrin Sherinsky, Ruth Robbins, Debbie Daniels. Absent—Lucy Oliveri, Rose Marie Cohowiez.

# Eighth Grade



### EIGHTH GRADE BOYS

Left to right: First Row—Robert Winters, Eugene Albright, Michael Palermo, Fred Cefalo, Robert Powell, Joseph Tona, Peter Soska, Adrian Lori, Michael Nazarek, Robert Pahl, Keven Powers, Jody McDonnell, James Loftus, Harry Redmond, Larry Harding, Dan Simko, Tony Dellarte, Carl Klevinski, Richard Amico, Thomas Dickinson. Second Row—Carlton Sabol, Thomas Newman, Bob McCormick, Kevin Park, Don Scott, Frank Yozwiak, Louis Foersch, Hank Smith, Walter Stocknick, Eddie Bauman, Ernest Hoover, Joseph Stella, Robert Hyman, John Dwyer, Tom Scherer, Neil Kolojeski, Ralph VanAuken, Peter Mirabelle, John Bravyak, John Kutzer, John Claiborne, Danny Embleton, Ned Stankoski, John Kizewick, Billy Rowe. Third Row—Greg Anderson, Robert Kirby, Paul Keating, David Daniels, Robert Simonson, Daryl Shinko, Paul Chilek, Donald Evans, Sammy Aritz, Chester Shields, Robert Havard, Charles Littzi, Keith Winters, Robert Schlosser, Joseph Messina, Richard Serino, John Meriesky, Billy Stout, Anthony Saraceno, Edward DeLucca, Garry Lippi, Bruce Barbera, Michael Boone. Absent—Edwin Foersch, Wayne Searfoss, Robert Robbins.



#### SEVENTH GRADE GIRLS

Left to right: First Row—Kathleen Bilder, Ellen Sharkey, Lydia Naples, Lois Berti, Barbara Agolino, Rose Ann Cordora, Patricia McCole, Marilyn Dembowski, Colette Ditoro, Karol Namutka, Rosemary Volpe, Cora Cairl, Mary McCormick, Carol Quinn, Catherine Shulna, Debbie Rowland. Second Row—Cheryl Littzi, Helen Kern, Patricia Ambrose, Elaine Lucarella, Magdalen Alaimo, Regina Lucarelli, Amy Schiffman, Karen Hanczyc, Jayne Algar, Joan Bonfanti, Debbie Herron, Patricia Gilligan, Alice Ruth Fine, Beth Whitlock, Cheryl Cleveland, Anne Friedman. Third Row—Mary Ann Pantucci, Bonnie Miller, Jean Chiampi, Ruth Lawry, June Williamson, Deborah Gdovin, Chris Hastie, Dorothy Killiri, Robin Rogers, Corinne Lello, Eleanor Crich, Deborah Orth, Marilyn Olejnik, Ellen Firestine, Carmella Vullo. Absent—Denise Tona, Judith Becker.

# Seventh Grade



### SEVENTH GRADE BOYS

Left to right: First Row—Thomas Marriott, Mike Graham, James E. Searfoss, John Casey, Frank Rizzo, James Keaney, Michael Yuravich, Walter Mekeel, Mark Wanko, Ronnie Hobbs, Tommy Dziak, Ricky Bryden, Lee Epstein, Wayne Vitale. Second Row—Richard Stauffer, Gregory Williams, David Cupano, Paul Yanik, Charlie Manganaro, Gary Pastva, Bruce Briggs, Donald Whittaker, Daniel Wascavich, Robert Memory, Samuel Rooney, Michael Tonkin, Douglas Strubeck, Gary Hanczyc, Anthony Palermo, Joseph Dente. Third Row—Gary Blank, Ray Calabrese, James Hawk, John Ciannilli, Daniel Barbera, Patrick Punturiero, John Janczewski, Jay Freid, Allan Siani, John Golecki, Anthony Detato, Daniel Williams, Jeffrey Freid, Guy Capone, Gregory Fino, Kenneth Voight. Absent—James Wall, George Rebovick.

Behind the Scenes ...



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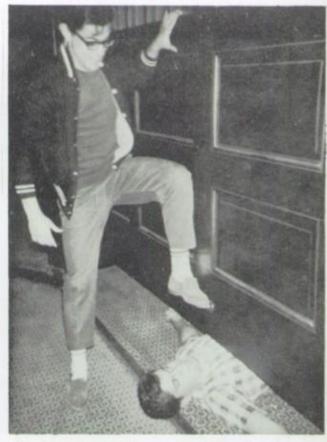
"My whole family uses Right Guard."



"Are you sure Newton began this way?"



"Say it with flowers."



"Never hit a man when he's down!"



"How many of you will be promoted to third grade?"



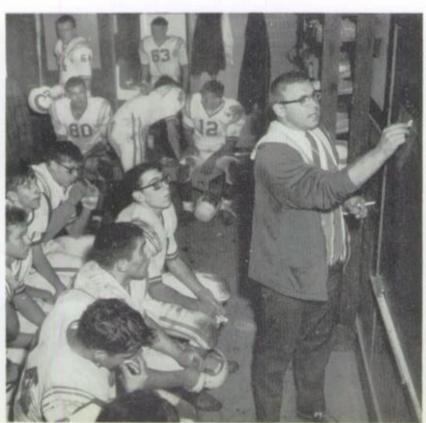
"My mother loves me."



"The big "G" stands for . . . . . ?"



"Exotic??"



"And your girl is standing over



"For my next number . . . "

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First Row—Gail Schwartz, Mary Pat Reed. Second Row—Marilyn Dembowski, Joseph Hogan, Mary Ann Werts, Jane Antal, Kathy Delaney, Beth Whitlock, Dorothea Volpe, John Casey, Mr. Edwards. Third Row—Anthony Dominic, Robert Hyman, Daniel Williams, Patricia Salerno, Anne Agolino, Barbara Memory, John Keaney, Paul Chilek, Kenneth Richards, Robert Bullions, Sharon Dendle. Fourth Row—Doreen Detato, Steryl Jones, Kathleen Shook, Linda King, Brenda Welliver, Jean Gilroy, Jackie VanTuyle, Darlene Gifford, Elaine Yankosky, Don Davis, Wayne Gravell, Jay Freid. Fifth Row—Louis Borino, Mary Lou Hancock, Diane Crane, Gail Gaynor, Frederic Serino, John Portelli, Linda Charlton, Jacqueline Howell, Ross Alaimo, William Jones, Fred Southern. Sixth Row—Paul Keating, John Hindmarsh, George Simons, Charles Chiampi, Joel Ostrowski, Billy Havard, David Chintala, Robert Richards.

The Green and White Marching Band was formed in 1929. During the thirty-seven years of its existence, it has lent much color and excitement to football games and pep rallies.

Everyone loves a parade, and our band is no exception. This year, as in previous years, the band marched in the Northeastern Pennsylvania Volunteer Firemen's Parade held at Jermyn on September 12, 1965, surprising no one by taking first place honors.

Without the enthusiasm and diligence of the members, these events would not have been possible. During the summer, and many nights after school, the band members can be found practicing the long hours necessary to attain the degree of perfection they achieve.

We, the seniors of the marching band, wish to express our appreciation to Mr. Frank I. Edwards for his guidance and encouragement throughout the year.





# Cheerleaders



Left to right: First Row—Diane Searfoss, Mary Ann Evans, Bonnie Brodbeck (captain), Sharon Cravatta, Rose Ann Russo, Lorraine Wisnosky. Second Row—Sally Fear, Nadeen VanTuyle, Roseann Naples, Irma Menn, Jane Troiani (co-captain), Judy Starna.

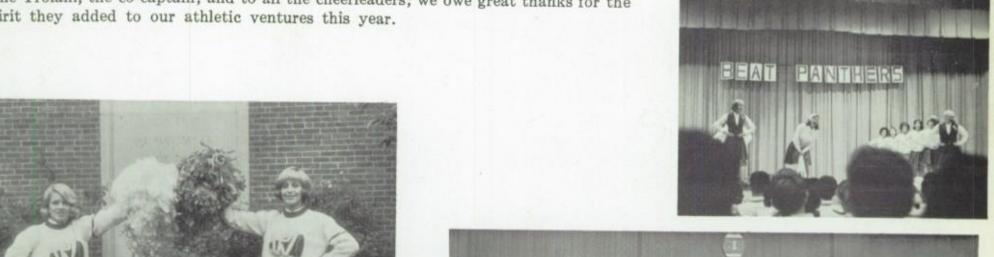
With a flash of green and a sparkle of white, the first pep rally began. Since that time the perky cheerleaders have led us through the depth of defeat and the height of victory.

Never giving up hope, even when the scoreboard looked ominous, they cheered their way through both basketball and football games. This year they added a new touch to the football games by throwing miniature footballs each time we made a touchdown.

To Mr. Brogna, the cheerleaders director; to Bonnie Brodbeck, the captain; to Jane Troiani, the co-captain; and to all the cheerleaders; we owe great thanks for the spirit they added to our athletic ventures this year.

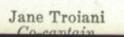


Mr. Lawrence Brogna
Advisor





Bonnie Brodbeck



## Majorettes



Left to right: JoAnn Andaloro, Gail Vanderburg, Nancy Frushon, Ann Lovecchio, Karen Roche, Karen Calisto (drum majorette), Karen Shook, Linda Evans, Marilyn Detato, Tina Medico, Karen Clelland. Back—Left to right: Bernadette Hogan (captain), Phyllis Cumbo (co-captain).



Mr. Frank Edwards
Advisor

"Snappy" is the most concise adjective that can be used to describe the 1966 majorette squad. Since its formation twenty years ago, the West Pittston Majorettes have always been a well organized, co-ordinated group, and this year's majorettes have been no exception.

Headed by Captain Bernadette Hogan, Co-captain Phyllis Cumbo, and Drum Majorette Karen Calisto, the majorettes entertained many with their excellent dances and twirling routines.

Through their outstanding efforts our twirlers generated much enthusiasm and added extra sparkle to the football games and pep meetings.



Bernadette Hogan Captain



Karen Calisto Drum Majorette



Phyllis Cumbo Co-captain

### Drill Team



Kathy Lavelle Co-captain



Geraldine Nocerini Captain



Gloria Strubeck
Co-captain

In its third year of existence, the 1966 version of the drill team has again proven itself to be an outstanding unit of the West Pittston High School Marching Band. Donned in Kelly-green uniforms, this twenty-five member organization led by Captain Geraldine Nocerini performed at football games, parades, and rallies. This year, for the first time, presenting a swinging version of the "Charlotte Harbor Stomp," they also joined in the vigorous activities of a pep meeting.

This year's drill team is to be commended for displaying undaunted school spirit and for impressively representing West Pittston High School.



Mr. Lawrence Brogna
Advisor



Left to right: First Row—Gloria Strubeck (co-captain), Geraldine Nocerini (captain), Kathy Lavelle (co-captain), Second Row—Patricia Prebola, Bev Dymond, Sharon Donahue, Brenda Shepler, Roseann Kivak, Patty Doble, Marilyn Manganello. Third Row—Theresa Alaimo, Patty Ramage, Mary Bulford, Gloria Adonizio, Carmella Manganiello, Sandy Cahill, Celeste Reedy, Kate Burke. Fourth Row—Mary Ellen Dziak, Lauren Harris, Maureen Cleveland, Melissa Corcoran, Carolyn Rome, Peggy Hogan, Nancy Traher.



Left to right: First Row—Jane Antal, Darlene Gifford, Brenda Welliver, Mary Ann Werts, Karen Shook. Second Row—James Keaney, Edward Stankoski, Anne Agolino, Patricia Salerno, Linda Fing, Rhys Sherman, Doreen Detato, Fred Serino, Hal Seiple, Steryl Jones, Louis Borino, Lee Epstein, Anthony Detato, Danny Williams, Richard Salerno. Third Row—Bob McCormick, Gail Vanderburg, Bernadette Hogan, Robert Stahl, Kathie Shook, Dorthea Volpe, Sharon Dendle, Mary Lou Hancock, Beth Whitlock, Ellen Firestine, Marilyn Detato, John Portelli, Anthony Dominic, Fred Southern, Beverly Dymond, Dan Davis, John Casey, Billy Sher-

The strains of "Symbol of Honor" or "Queen City" greet the students each morning as they march into chapel. Directed by Mr. Frank I. Edwards, the Senior Band also performs for P.T.A. programs, in the annual Spring Concert, and for various other school functions. Aiding Mr. Edwards are the officers, chosen from the senior members of the band: President, John Hindmarsh; Vice-president, David Chintala; Secretary, Marilyn Detato; and Treasurer, Rhys Sherman. The main duties of these officers are to take roll each morning and to assume the direction of the band in Mr. Edwards's absence.

The Spring Concert is an important event at the school. In order to perfect the difficult pieces chosen by Mr. Edwards, the band must spend long hours in practice. Each member puts much of himself into making the concert a success.

This year, as in previous years, West Pittston High School was fortunate enough to send a representative to the District Band Festival. John Portelli was chosen for his ability as a clarinetist.

The seniors who put their musical instruments aside for the last time know that the Senior Band will always remain an essential part of the school. It is they who have helped to make it so.

### Band



idan, Billy Anzalone, Ross Alaimo, Diane Gravell, John Keaney. Fourth Row—Kathryn Delaney, Gail Gay. nor, Linda Charlton, Diane Crane, Marilyn Dembowski, Jean Gilroy, Anthony Palermo, Karen Hronick, Jackie VanTuyle, Fern Walter, Robert Hyman, William Jones, Linda Albright, Nadeen VanTuyle, Patty Ramage Barbara Memory, Wayne Gravell, Don Davis. Fifth Row—Anthony Dellarte, John Hindmarsh, Dave Chintala, Ken Richards, Mr. Frank Edwards (director). Absent—Jacqueline Howell, Peggy Hogan, Paul Keating.



SENIOR BAND OFFICERS

Left to right: Rhys Sherman, Treasurer; David Chintala, Vice-President; Marilyn Detato, Secretary; John Hindmarsh, President.



John Portelli

### Mixed





Left to right: First Row—Ann Lovecchio, Patty Ramage, Janice Romanowski, Lauren Harris, Karen Hronich, Georgia Bainbridge, Ellen Moss, Bonnie Brodbeck (Secretary), Elliot Kaspriskie (President), Mr. Frank I. Edwards (Director), Miss Cathran Fear (Accompanist), Mary Himmelwright (Vice-President), Tommy Monk (Treasurer), Jayne Epstein, Karen Strubeck, Sally Fear, Lana Best, Pamela Wruble, Mary Lou Shannon. Second Row—Michael Guiliano, Brenda Shepler, Carmella Manganiello, Karen Roche, Jacqueline VanTuyle, Anne Agolino, Lois Davies, Kathie Shook, Roseann Naples, Tosca

THE GRAND FINALE of West Pittston High School is set to music sung by the Mixed Chorus. A comparatively new organization at West Pittston, the Mixed Chorus was organized by Mr. Frank I. Edwards in 1960. It has become well known not only in the school itself, but also in this community and others.

The group has performed at Kingston, Forty Fort, and Plymouth High Schools, and also for the Junior Women's Club of West Pittston. Small groups composed of members from the Mixed Chorus have sung at Pittston Kiwanis Club meetings and the First Methodist Church in Wilkes-Barre. For five years members of the Mixed Chorus have participated in District Chorus; and last year Mary Himmel-

wright was chosen to sing with the Regional Chorus.

Students at West Pittston High School have learned to look forward to the Mixed Chorus's various performances throughout the year. This group displays

the vast amount of work put into it by its director Mr. Frank Edwards, not only during the holiday seasons when the group offers selections augmenting the holiday spirit, but also at numerous short chapel programs, P.T.A. programs, and special assemblies during the year.



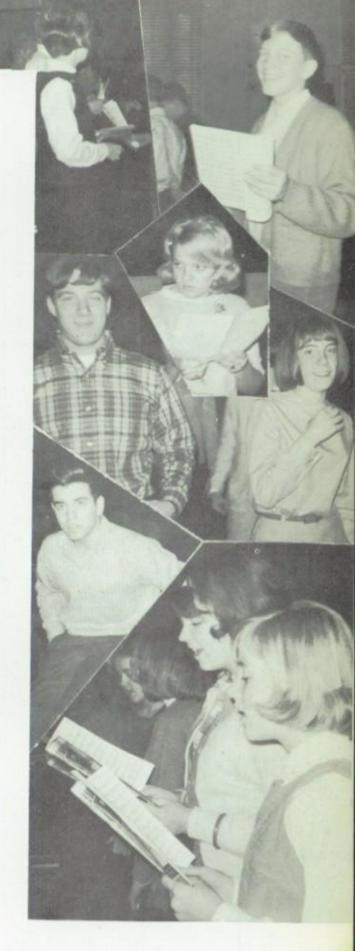
#### MIXED CHORUS OFFICERS

Left to right: Thomas Monk, Treasurer; Mary Himmelwright, Vice-President; Elliot Kaspriskie, President; Bonnie Brodbeck, Secretary.

## Chorus







The Mixed Chorus has brought the excitement and fantasy of the Broadway stage to audiences in its presentation of the scores from West Side Story, Show Boat, Carousel, Sound of Music, and Kismet. The reverence and majesty of spiritual music have been presented in the form of Handel's Messiah and Mendelssohn's Hear My Prayer. Contemporary tunes such as Ripple and Flow and Deep River have also been sung by the group.

We at West Pittston High School are deeply indebted to Mr. Edwards for his work in organizing and continuing this group. Through the frustrations of bad practices and sour notes, he has never given up his rather thankless job. Few of us in the school realize how much Mr. Edwards puts into the chorus in order to make our few minutes of listening pleasurable. Music is an international language. The West Pittston High School Mixed Chorus will long remember the enjoyment they have had conveying this language, and their listeners will never forget the quiet joy that the chorus has brought to them. With appreciation for all he has done, the Seniors of 1966 thank Mr. Edwards for adding the Mixed Chorus to the memory of West Pittston High School.

### DISTRICT CHORUS

Left to right: Elliot Kaspriskie, Rhys Sherman, Mary Himmelwright, George Simons, Louis Bonita.



# Girls' Glee Club



Left to right: First Row—Sheila E. Kelly, Diane Searfoss, Antoinette Champi, Sally Fear, Janice Romanowski, Kathy Lavelle, Donna Gozikowski, Gail Vanderburg, Miss Cathran Fear (Director), Kathryn Burke, Cathy Meli, Grace Palermo, Marie Agolino, Pamela Wruble, Madaline Montante, Theresa Cerza. Second Row—Anne O'Connell, JoAnn Andaloro, Karen Clelland, Nadeen VanTuyle, Roseann Naples, Irma Menn, Linda Evans, Cynthia Chiampi, Sharon Donahue, Marsha Scott, Brenda Shepler, Lois Davies, Karen Shook, Barbara Memory, Patty Ramage, Ann Lovecchio, Lonna Bilder, Jayne Epstein. Third Row—Cathy Salvo, Ellyn Moss, Jacquie Howell, Roseann Kivak, Lynda Charlton, Linda Black, Gail Gaynor, Diane Crane, Mary Himmelwright, Paulette Vanavage, Bernadette Hogan, Linda King, Carol Amico, Donna Fuehrer, Barbara Adrian, Carmella Manganiello, Mary Rita Borr. Absent—Sandra Cahill, Jane Troiani.

The Girls' Glee Club is an extracurricular activity for both junior and senior girls. Members are chosen according to their ability to sing and to read music. The girls practice every Tuesday in the auditorium with their director, Miss Cathran J. Fear. Their many long hours of hard work are revealed when they participate in the annual Spring Concert. The Club also gives performances in chapel and at Parent-Teacher Association meetings. The experience the members gain through singing in this group is the foundation for success in the field of music.







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# Organ Club



Left to right: First Row—Betsy Alling, Mary Ellen Dziak, Linda Scatena, Virginia Davis, Virginia Tompkins, Miss Cathran Fear (director), Mary Coccetti, Dorthea Volpe, Madaline Montante, Karen Strubeck. Second Row—Patty Ramage, Barbara Memory, Esther Spinelli, Mary Salavantis, Helen MacLellan, John Portelli, Cynthia Chiampi, Gail Vanderburg, Carmella Manganiello, Karen Hronick, Jayne Epstein. Third Row—Mary Rita Borr, Nancy Alling, Bernadette Hogan, Nancy Himmelwright, Diane Crane, Mary Himmelwright, Doreen Detato, Darlene Gifford, Donna Fuehrer, Peggy Hogan, Cathy Salvo. Absent—Beth Ann Voight.

The Organ Club is one of the extracurricular activities in which both junior and senior high students may participate. These students are chosen by their director, Miss Cathran Fear, on their piano-playing skill and their music-reading ability.

P.T.A. meetings and various school functions provide the opportunity for these musicians to display their skill in playing preludes and postludes, a skill developed by long hours of practice during the sumer months.

For many students, this is the only opportunity they will have to play an organ. The experience gained by the members of the club will be of great value in their future years.







# Key Club



Left to right: First Row—Michael Guiliano, Albert Manganello, Nelson Smiles, Elliot Kaspriskie (president), Louis Bonita (secretary), Dan Davis (treasurer), Mr. James Brokenshire (advisor), Tommy Monk (vice-president), Jack Owens, Albert Clapps, Pat Williams, Ray Gilroy, Charles Manganiello. Second Row—Charles Salvo, Robert DiPasquale, Larry Ditoro, Joe McGarry, David Todd, George Zorgo, James Bosco, Anthony Clifford, Donald Davis, John Jurchak, Joseph Cordora, John Schlosser, Patrick Mantione, Michael Bruno. Third Row—John Gillis, James Butera, Kevin Smith, Bill Welliver, Michael Aquilina, John Williamson, Edward Burke, Richard Stankus, George Simons, John Sammon, William Jones, Guy Capone, Ralph Walter, Paul Marranca.

Patterned after its parent organization Kiwanis, the Key Club was formed in 1958 to render service to the local school and to the community. Unlike many youth organizations that get bogged down in their high-sounding ideals, Key Club is an organization of ACTION.

We, the students of West Pittston High School, are fortunate to have an active Key Club. Our Key Club is always faced with the question—what can be done to improve our school and our community? With this question in mind, Key Club projects are chosen. All funds raised by the Key Club are used to benefit the school and the community and are never used to finance the organization's social events.

In the past two years our Key Club has received state-wide recognition for its achievements. Because of the guidance of Mr. James Ayre and Mr. James Brokenshire, the dedication of its presidents, and the hard work of its members, the Key Club is the success it is today.





### KEY CLUB OFFICERS

Left to right: Louis Bonita, Secretary; Daniel Davis, Treasurer; Thomas Monk, Vice-President; Elliot Kaspriskie, President.



### F. T.A.





Left to right: First Row—Patricia Salerno, Pamela Wruble, Cathy Meli, Patty Ramage, Beverly Dymond, Sharon Donahue, Lucille Colandro (vice-president), Nelson Smiles (president), Mrs. Sarah McNamara (advisor), Mary Himmelwright (treasurer), Bonnie Brodbeck (secretary), Ellen Moss, Karen Clelland, Peggy Hogan, Janet Amico, Agnes Stockmal, Diane Searfoss. Second Row—Barbara Memory, Mary Rita Borr, Rose Ann Russo, Mary Ann Evans, Karen Shook, Marsha Scott, Brenda Shepler, Jeanine Lello, Patty Doble, Elaine Yankosky, Marilyn Detato, Melissa Corcoran, Phyllis Cumbo, Irma Menn, Carmella Manganiello, Anne O'Connell. Third Row—Betsy Chiampi, Cecelia Chiampi, Nancy Frushon, Karen Calisto, Louis Bonita, Anthony Clifford, Bill Welliver, John Williamson, George Simons, Mike Clifford, Jack Owens, Bill Langan, Nancy Alling, Mary Jean Algar, Carol Amico, Donna Fuehrer. Absent—Sandra Cahill.

F—a promise for the future, T—the teacher whose influence can greatly affect the lives of the students, A—America, the great land of opportunity. These ideals upon which the Future Teachers of America is founded have made the organization one of the most beneficial at West Pittston High School.

The F.T.A. was chartered April 25, 1955. This first club had only eight members. Under the direction of Mr. Ayre, Dr. Wyllie, and Mrs. McNamara, the club has endeavored to bring out the finest qualities in its members. The F.T.A. endeavors to assist young people in deciding whether or not they are suited for a teaching career. This purpose has been accomplished by allowing each member to do student teaching under the guidance of members of the faculty. Club members also entertain various speakers from colleges and nursing schools, act as guides for P.T.A. programs and for the guidance conference, hold an annual tea in honor of the faculty, and take educational trips to colleges. These successful activities have made this organization one of the most outstanding in the history of West Pittston High School.

### F.T.A. OFFICERS

Left to right: Mary Himmelwright, Treasurer; Nelson Smiles, President; Bonnie Brodbeck, Secretary; Lucille Colandro, Vice-President.

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# National Honor Society



Left to right: First Row—Diane Searfoss, Patricia Salerno, Sharon Cravatta, Beverly Dymond, Elaine Yankosky (vice-president), Dr. Doris Wyllie (advisor), Bernadette Hogan (treasurer), Karen Shook (secretary), Janet Amico, Patricia Ramage, Pamela Wruble. Second Row—Mary Rita Borr, Agnes Stochmal, Jeanine Lello, Concetta Parente, Barbara Memory, Mary Loyd, Linda Evans, Donna Fuehrer, Jayne Epstein, Peggy Hogan, Carmella Manganiello. Third Row—Aldan Lori, Richard Stankus, Nadeen VanTuyle, Patty Doble, Mary Kaiser, Roseann Naples, George Simons, Paul Marranca. Absent—Nelson Smiles, Mary Himmelwright, Marilyn Detato, Frances Gilligan, Janice Romanowski.

The name of this chapter is the Honoris Gradis Chapter of the National Honor Society of Secondary Schools. The objectives of this chapter are to create an enthusiasm for scholarship, to stimulate a desire to render service, to promote leadership, and to encourage the development of character in West Pittston High School students. All activities of this chapter are supervised by the Society's advisor, Dr. Doris Wyllie.

The qualifications for membership are: scholarship, leadership, service, and character. Scholastically, every member must maintain an 87.9 average.

Organized in 1921, National Honor Society became a permanent part of West Pittston High School in 1965. Only seniors and juniors are eligible for membership; however, this society encourages underclassmen to study more conscientiously and to participate in more extra-curricular activities

Affiliation with such a fine organization benefits the student not only in high school, but also in future endeavors, since all active members become graduate members of National Honor Society at graduation.





Left to right: Elaine Yankosky, Vice-president; Karen Shook, Secretary; Nelson Smiles. President; Bernadette Hogan, Treasurer.



# Library



Left to right: First Row—Bonnie Brodbeck, Lucille Colandro, Patricia Salerno, Patricia Prebola, Marsha Chislo, Mary Pat Reed, Sharon Cravatta, Cathy Salvo (vice-president), Marsha Scott (president), Miss Mary Richards (advisor), Cecelia Chiampi (secretary-treasurer), Sharon Donahue, Mary Alice Turkos, Marilyn Manganiello, Marie Agolino, Donna Dymond, Lorraine Wisnosky, Diane Searfoss, Carol Wierbowski. Second Row—Lonna Bilder, Ellen Stascavage, Mary Ann Evans, Rose Ann Russo, Brenda Shepler, Karen Shook, Barbara Adrian, Linda Hoffman, Dolores Fronczek, Bernadette Hogan, Marilyn Detato, Ellen Moss, Barbara Krause,



Miss Richards Advisor



LIBRARY CLUB OFFICERS

Left to right: Marsha Scott, President; Cathy Salvo, Vice-President; Cecelia Chiampi, Secretary-Treasurer.



Mary Rita Borr, Linda Jones, Patricia Kelly, Gail Schwartz, Lila Eyet, Carol Lefchak, Rita Mekeel, Anne Marie Soricelli, Grace Palermo. Third Row—Jeanine Lello, Elaine Yankosky, Jacquie Howell, Karen Roche, Gerri Nocerini, Nancy Alling, Linda Boos, Anne Culver, Mary Kaiser, Mary Himmelwright, Lynda Charlton, Karen Calisto, Betsy Chiampi, Nancy Frushon, Linda King, Luann Berulis, Carol Mikols, Roseann Kivak, Mary Jean Algar, Patty Doble. Absent—Frances McDonnell, Mary Loyd.

One club of great importance to the senior girls at West Pittston High School is the Library Club. Sixty-three girls, under the direction of Miss Mary Richards, librarian, learn various library skills by assisting in the operation of the library.

The girls check books, keep records of those who use the library, mend books and magazines, straighten shelves, decorate the library and bulletin boards, run errands, and perform various other tasks.

Marsha Scott holds the office of president of the senior Library Club, with Cathy Salvo as vice-president, and Cecelia Chiampi as secretary.

The club was formed by Miss Richards in 1952. This first chapter had a membership of twelve senior girls who were especially interested in library work. In 1956 the club was opened to all grades and enlarged to its present size.

The senior Library Club is actively participating in Wyoming Valley's Inter-Library Club Council, composed of students from the eleven member schools. The Council's purpose is to promote library publicity and to establish good will between the schools. West Pittston's Library Club is proud to hold one of the council offices —Marsha Scott is their secretary.

We, the seniors of 1966, wish to thank Miss Richards for her help and guidance and for the fellowship and fun we experienced as Library Club members.







Mary Rita Borr Assistant Editor



Marilyn Detato Assistant Editor



Karen Shook Assistant Editor



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Bernadette Hogan Editor-in-Chief



George Simons Assistant Editor



Nelson Smiles Assistant Editor



Mary Ann Evans Photographer





### LAYOUT STAFF

Left to right: George Zorgo, Lila Eyet, Anne Culver, Sharon Cravatta, Louis Bonita.



Diane Searfoss Business Manager



**BUSINESS STAFF** 

Left to right: First Row—Grace Palermo, Patricia Salerno, Geraldine Nocerini, Jacquie Howell, Brenda Shepler. Second Row—Mary Pat Reed, Barbara Adrian, Guy Capone, Richard Stankus, Ralph Walter, Betsy Chiampi, Donna Dymond.



**TYPISTS** 

Left to right: First Row—Dolores Fronczek, Marilyn Manganello Second Row—Bonnie Brodbeck, Jeanine Lello, Mary Alice Turkos.



ART STAFF

Left to right: Carol Wierbowski, Marsha Chislo, Beverly Dymond, Kevin Smith. Absent—Michael Guiliano.



### **PROOFREADERS**

Left to right: First Row—Mary Loyd, Cecelia Chiampi. Second Row—Mary Himmelwright, Dave Chintala, Rose Ann Russo.



### LITERARY STAFF

Left to right: First Row—Lucille Colandro, Lonna Bilder, Mary Jean Algar, Marsha Scott, Cathy Salvo, Sharon Donahue. Second Row—Elaine Yankosky, Mary Kaiser, Vince Insalaco, Billy Havard, John Gillis, Nancy Frushon, Linda Charlton. Absent—Patty Doble, Nancy Alling.

# Magazine Drive



Miss Margaret Clelland Advisor



David Chintala Senior High Business Manager



Jeanine Lello Junior High Business Manager

Everyone, especially seniors, values the Caravan highly. To each senior the Garavan will bring back cherished memories of his high school career. Many enjoy our yearbook, yet few understand what has made it a success.

The magazine drive sponsored by our school provides the required funds to make the Caravan a reality. Each West Pittston student who participated in the campaign made a distinct contribution to the 1966 yearbook. We express our gratitude to the people of the

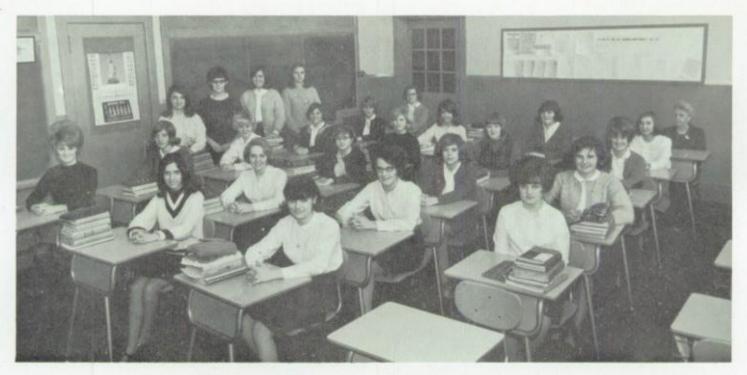
community who have been interested enough in our yearbook to purchase magazines from our solicitors. With the competent help and direction of their advisor, Miss Margaret Clelland, the business managers and secretaries handled the money and kept records efficiently.

The effort put forth by those involved in this magazine drive provided the financial support vital to the publication of the 1966 Caravan.



### MAGAZINE DRIVE SECRETARIES

Left to right: First Row—Bonnie Brodbeck, Diane Searfoss, Avelene Zorgo (asst. bus. mgr.), Jeanine Lello (bus. mgr.), Miss Margaret M. Clelland (advisor), David Chintala (bus. mgr.), Agnes Stochmal (asst. bus. mgr.), Joy Colarusso, Barbara Sickler, Susan Schollenberger. Second Row—Celeste Reedy, Marilyn Loftus, Rita Mekeel, Annette Porter, Mary Alice Turkos, Linda Ferretti, Barbara Smith, Barbara Soska, Linda Hoffman, Mary Pat Reed, Frances Gilligan, Marilyn Manganello, Donna Dymond, Marie Agolino. Third Row—Edward Cavalari, Linda Karichner, Michele Wills, Dolores Fronczek, Barbara Adrian, Carol Mikols, Patricia Davis, Dolores Seidel, Linda Maureen Lane, Esther Spinelli, Deborah Hudock, Lois Parente, Barry Jacobs.



HIGH SENIOR HIGH HOMEROOM Miss Poxon's



HIGH SENIOR HIGH SALESMEN

Left to right: Richard Ditoro, Tina Medico,
Barbara Sickler, Bonnie Brodbeck.



HIGH JUNIOR HIGH SALESMEN

Left to right: Guy Capone, Tina Medico, Dorothea Volpe,
John Casey III.



HIGH JUNIOR HIGH HOMEROOM Miss Fear's

# French Club



Left to right: First Row—Ann Marie Latona, Betsy Alling, Joan Martin, Michael Guiliano (president), Sally Fear (treasurer), Mrs. Margaret G. Mitchell (advisor), Marsha Scott (secretary), Anthony Clifford (vice-president), Bernadette Hogan, Patricia Salerno, Lana Best, Theresa Cerza. Second Row—Michael Cravatta, Ann Lovecchio, Patty Ramage, Jayne Epstein, Mary Ann Evans, Karen Shook, Brenda Shepler, Romona Lugar (sophomore director), Linda Boos, Luann Berulis, Charlotte Mammarella, Nadeen VanTuyle, Irma Menn, Roseann Naples, Carmella Manganiello (junior director), Lila Eyet, Susan Ditoro. Third Row—Wayne Gravell, Patrick Mantione, Robert DiPasquale, Lawrence Ditoro, Dan Davis, Robert Drummond, Paul Marranca, William Havard (senior director), George Zorgo, Don Davis, Tommy Billinge, Rickey Ditoro, Louis Manganiello, Bill Langan, Joe Castellino.

"Le Cercie francais", as it is referred to by its members, is a French language club, organized two years ago to encourage an interest in the language and culture of France.

Under the direction of Mrs. Margaret Mitchell, the French Club has flourished. Le monde français, the club newspaper, has initiated a policy whereby





the members contribute worthwhile articles, most of which are written in French.

As in previous years, a program is presented at each meeting. These programs consist of skits, games, films, and talks. A program committee appoints club members and engages visitors to entertain the club.

Much credit for the success of the French Club falls upon the able leadership of the officers: Mike Guiliano, president; Tony Clifford, vice-president; Marsha Scott, secretary; Sally Fear, treasurer; and upon Mrs. Margaret Mitchell, the group's advisor.



FRENCH CLUB OFFICERS

Left to right: Sally Fear, Treasurer; Michael Guiliano, President; Marsha Scott, Secretary; Tony Clifford, Vice-president.

## Slide Rule Club



Left to right: First Row—Marilyn Detato, Elaine Yankosky, Mary Himmelwright, Joseph Wachs, Miss Martha Jones (adviser), Michael Guiliano, Bernadette Hogan, Patty Doble, Mary Rita Borr. Second Row—John Hindmarsh, Nelson Smiles, Kevin Smith, George Simons, Tom Monk, Richard Stankus, Ed Burke, Gerald Stofko, Keith Wills, Jim DeAngelo, David Guss, Barry White, Tony Manganiello. Absent—Warren Dale, Louis Biscotto.

For many years Slide Rule Club has been an extracurricular activity available to any senior student interested in learning the fundamentals of the slide rule. Although using this precision instrument is part of our mathematics course, limited classroom time motivated the need for a Slide Rule Club. Miss Jones, a mathematics and mechanical drawing teacher, has always been the club's adviser. She was the adviser of Mathematics Club and Chess Club before she became adviser of Slide Rule Club. Under Miss Jones' capable supervision, members gain valuable experience and practice with the slide rule. This knowledge will be important to these students in their future college years.









### Radio Club



Left to right: First Row—Kenneth Richards (treasurer), Robert Richards (president), John Portelli (vice-president), William Jones (secretary). Second Row—Thomas Newman, John Kutzer, Robert Hyman, Bernie Borr, Joe Cordora, Brenda Shepler, Karen Shook, Mr. Davenport (advisor), Torre Lippi, Harry Salavantis, Louis Manganiello, Kim Hoover, Joseph Wideman, Bob McCormick, Marty Borr.

The Radio Club, formed last year to promote interest in amateur radio communication, is open to anyone having a sincere interest in this field. Since its beginning, the club has expanded to include girls.

Under the capable direction of the club advisor, Mr. George Davenport, the members obtain much useful information about radio communication and the electronics involved. The meeting time is spent in instructing the members in the knowledge of the elec-





tronic theory required for them to pass the examination for a license.

A great source of pride to each member is his call letters. Several of the members are licensed.

Louis Manganiello John Portelli Bernard Borr Robert Richards William Jones WN3DRH WA3CFU WN3DKT WN3DDD WN3DYR

Soon the school will receive its own station and call letters.

The members wish to express their deep and heartfelt appreciation to Mr. Davenport for all his help and guidance throughout the year.



RADIO CLUB OFFICERS

Left to right: John Portelli, Vice-president; William Jones, Secretary; Robert Richards, President; Kenneth Richards, Treasurer.

## Speech-of-the-Week Club



Left to right: First Row—Mary Rita Borr, Diane Searfoss, Beverly Dymond, Brenda Shepler, Mrs. Miriam Harris (advisor), Cathy Salvo, Marsha Scott, Lucille Colandro, Patricia Salerno. Second Row—Karen Shook, Jacquie Howell, Mary Jean Algar, Karen Roche, Geraldine Nocerini, Bernadette Hogan, Betsy Chiampi, Nancy Alling, Barbara Adrian, Elaine Yankosky, Jeanine Lello. Third Row—Louis Bonita, Vince Insalaco, Dave Chintala, Guy Capone, William Havard, George Zorgo. Absent—Nelson Smiles, John Williamson, Bonnie Brodbeck, Mary Himmelwright, Linda King.

In its second year of existence, the Speech-of-the-Week Club, under the direction of Mrs. Philip H. Harris, has again given seniors valuable experience in oratorical speaking.

The speeches, which had been prepared for class recitation, were presented during chapel exercises.

Topics, appropriate for various occasions and holidays, included discussions on famous men, current events, personal feelings, and athletics

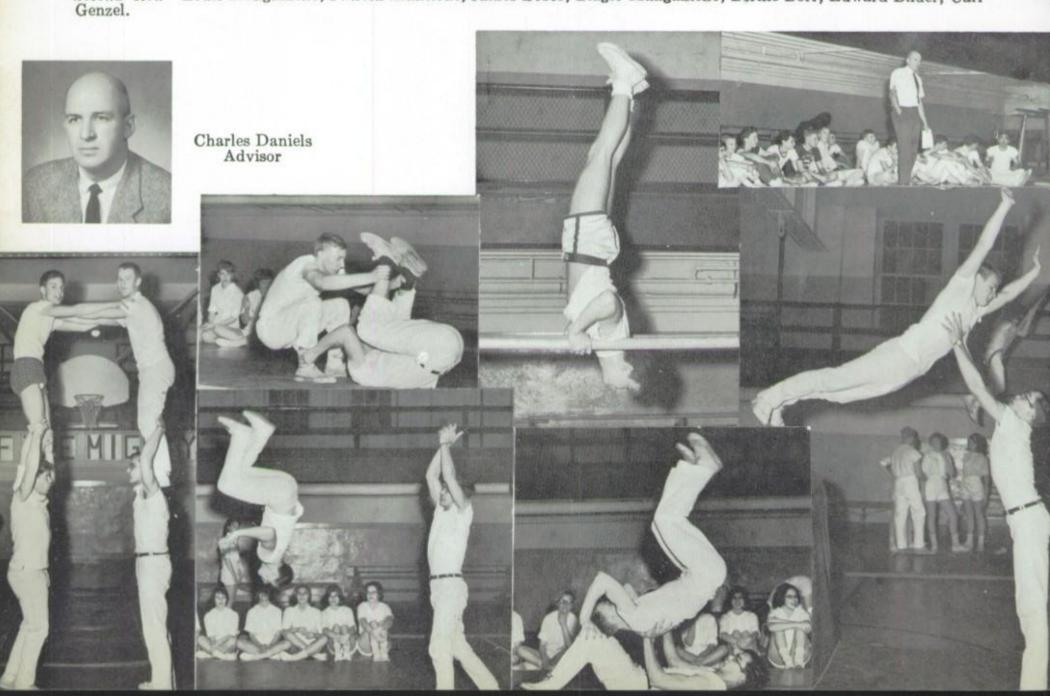
In addition to presenting the audience with interesting material and sound advice, the club was beneficial to the individual student, as it gave him experience in speaking before a large audience and confidence in himself as a capable speaker.



## Boys' Gymnastics



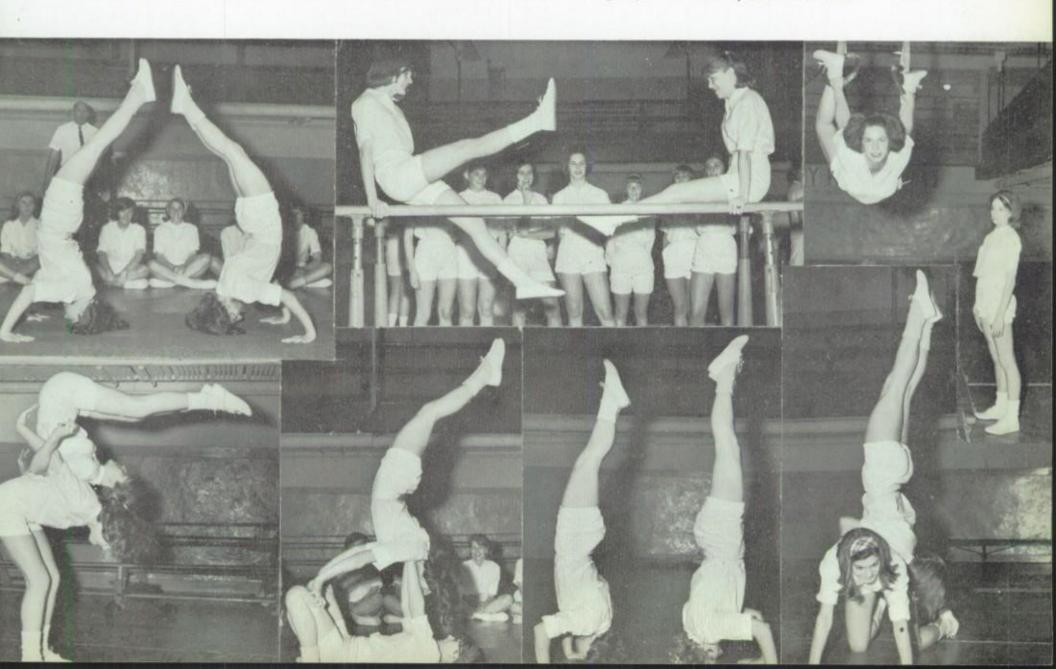
Left to right: First Row—Mike Pugliese, Barry Stankus, Dan Davis, Dennis O'Reilly, Rusty C. Hines, Kent Bratlee. Second Row—Louis Manganiello, Patrick Mantione, James Bosco, Biagio Manganiello, Bernie Borr, Edward Bilder, Carl Genzel.



# Girls' Gymnastics



Left to right: First Row—Mary Pat Reed, Beverly Dymond, Gail Schwartz, Diane Searfoss. Second Row—Nancy Frushon, Jacquie Howell, Patty Doble, Mary Ann Evans, Sharon Cravatta, Mary Jean Algar, Cecelia Chiampi. Third Row—Sally Fear, Tosca Chiampi, Tina Medico, Linda Black, Roseanne Naples, Irma Menn, Jane Troiani.



## Chess Club



Left to right: First Row—Carol Mikols, Marsha Scott, Cecelia Chiampi, Mary Ann Evans, Lucille Colandro, Nancy Alling. Second Row—Cathy Salvo, Ellen Stascavage, Luann Berulis, Lila Eyet, Carol Lefchak, Marilyn Manganello, Carol Wierbowski, Ellen Moss. Third Row—Mary Kaiser, Sharon Cravatta, Lonna Bilder, Linda Charlton, Brenda Shepler, Karen Shook, Mary Rita Borr. Fourth Row—Larry Ditoro, William Havard, Michael Guiliano, Elaine Yankosky, Kenneth A. Lewis (advisor). Fifth Row—Greg Shiner, Rusty Hines, Austin Ambrosino, Rickey Ditoro, Anthony Clifford, John Denisco. Absent: Charles Bell, George Simons, Marilyn Detato, Dolores Fronczek, Grace Palermo, Jacqueline Howell.







West Pittston High School offers many activities to satisfy the varied interests of its students. One of the foremost of these is the Chess Club. Under the direction of Mr. Kenneth A. Lewis, this organization is comprised of senior students interested in learning or increasing their knowledge of chess.

Chess Club members are divided into three groups: beginner, intermediate, and advanced. The beginner group learns the fundamental moves and rules and soon become capable players. The intermediate group, whose members already know the basic moves and rules, gain skill by playing with persons of their own ability. The advanced group, the club's "chessmasters", assist the other groups and learn the complicated gambits, middle, and end-game plays.

The club members are grateful to Mr. Lewis for his time and effort in helping them to enjoy this rewarding pastime. Assisting Mr. Lewis are the officers: Michael Guiliano, president; Cecelia Chiampi, secretary-treasurer; and Larry Ditoro, vice-president.

#### CHESS CLUB OFFICERS

Left to right: Mike Guiliano, President; Cecelia Chiampi, Secretary-treasurer; Larry Ditoro, Vice-president.

### Student Council



Left to right: First Row—Lucille Colandro, Anthony Clifford (president), Grace Palermo (treasurer), Mr. R. Chester Williams (advisor), Carol Lefchak (secretary), Anthony Scalzo (vice-president), Madaline Montante. Second Row—Charles Manganiello, Margaret Burke, Susan Labaty, Regina Wierbowski, Cathy Meli, Cheryl Lloyd, Barbara Dente, Cathy Bosco, Theresa Cerza, Romeyn Vose. Third Row—Victor Guiliano, Charles Salvo, Kenny Marsola, Tommy Billinge, James Bosco, Robert Stahl, Dan Davis, Steve Gauger, Billy Anzalone.

Under the guidance of Mr. R. Chester Williams in former years, and Messrs. Harold Chromey and George Davenport this year, Youth Center has provided many enjoyable evenings for the students.

Elected by each homeroom from the ninth through the twelfth grades, the members of Student Council, whose main function is to run Youth Center, are directed by President Anthony Clifford; Vice-President Anthony Scalzo; Secretary Carol Lefchak; and Treasurer Grace Palermo.

This year, in addition to money contributed to the March of Dimes, clothes collected for the Salvation Army, and toys donated by members and distributed by the Marines to needy children, Student Council presented several books to the school library.

In March an extremely successful program was given at Youth Center. A talent show presented gifted students a chance to perform in front of the members of Youth Center. Enjoying the night tremendously, the students received first, second, and third place monetary awards.

Frequent visits by name bands highlighted most Saturday night dances. "Senior Night" was brought back, along with many other interesting planned programs.

Since a great many changes will be taking place in our school district, Student Council hopes to take part in organizing a student government next year.





#### **OFFICERS**

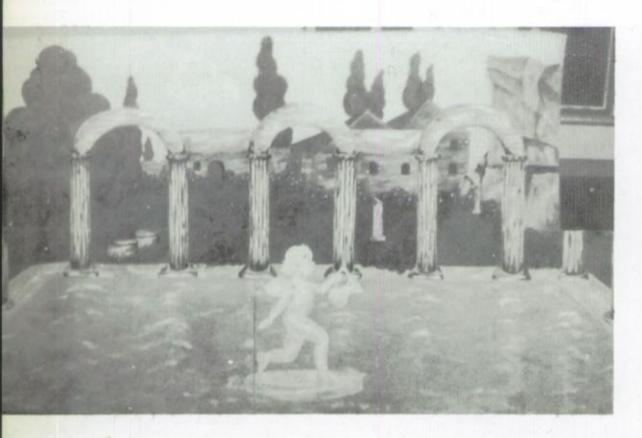
Left to right: Anthony Scalzo, Vice-President; Grace Palermo, Treasurer; Carol Lefchak, Secretary; Anthony Clifford, President.







## 1965 Junior Prom



During the spring of 1965, the present senior class was anxiously planning their first major feat—the Junior Prom. An annual event, the Junior Prom is presented by the juniors as a last salute to the seniors.

With six weeks of discussing, planning, and budgeting behind, the juniors embarked on their tremendous task of decorating the school gymnasium for a "Roman Holiday." Once the "Roman Holiday theme" was chosen, the Prom Decorating and Refreshment Committees were assembled. All worked assiduously to complete the gymnasium by Friday night, June 11, 1965. The junior boys constructed two entrance bridges and numerous pillars; many members of the Decorating Committee created a Roman Forum Mural and a park setting with a fountain; the entire dance floor was canopied with emerald green and gold streamers. The Refreshment Committee arranged for soft drinks and provided cookies.

The day finally arrived; the gymnasium was miraculously completed. Then, for three hours, the junior and senior classes enjoyed a "Roman Holiday." Now, the 1965 Junior Prom is only a memory of a fantastic accomplishment of the Class of 1966.

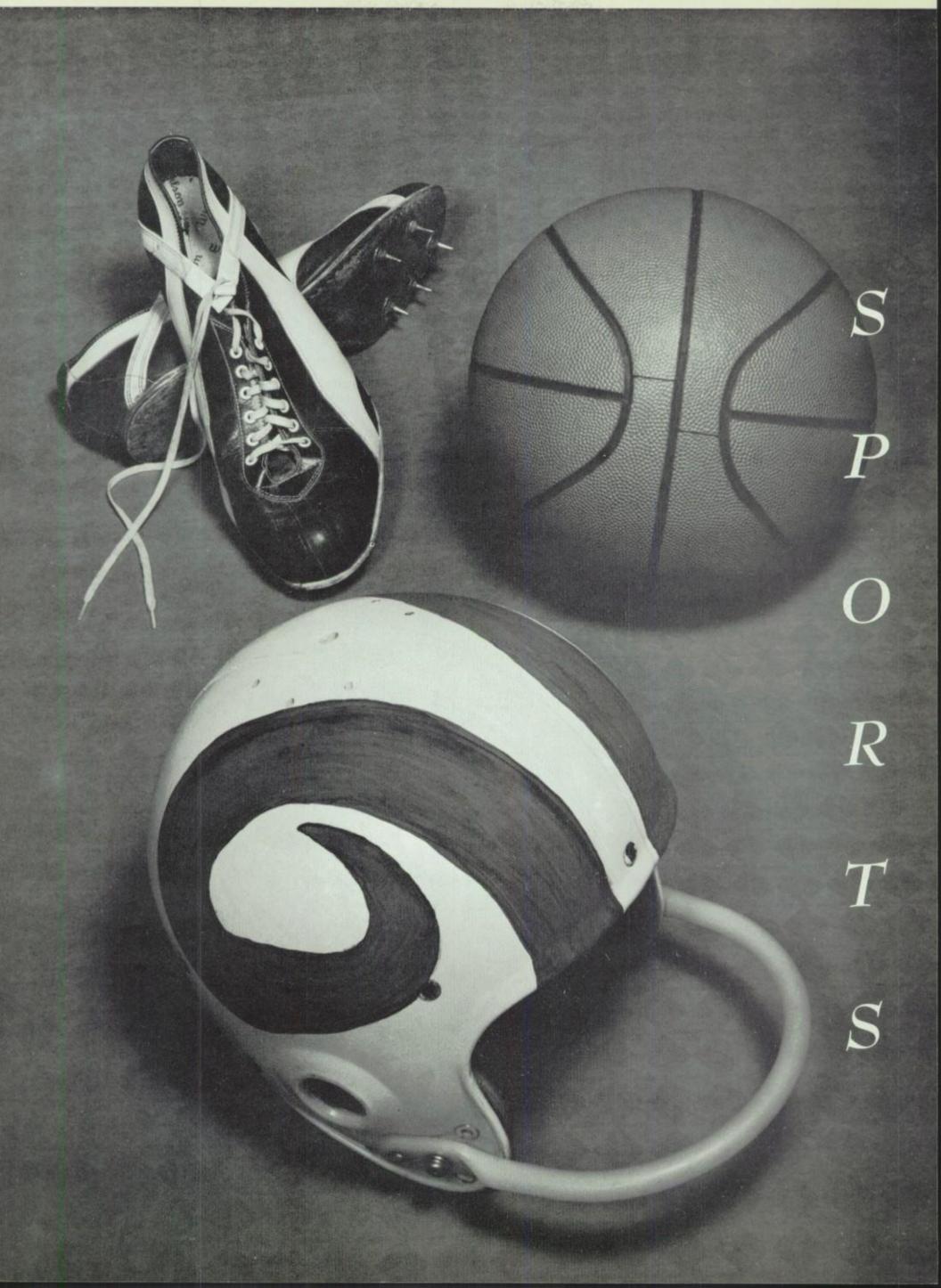


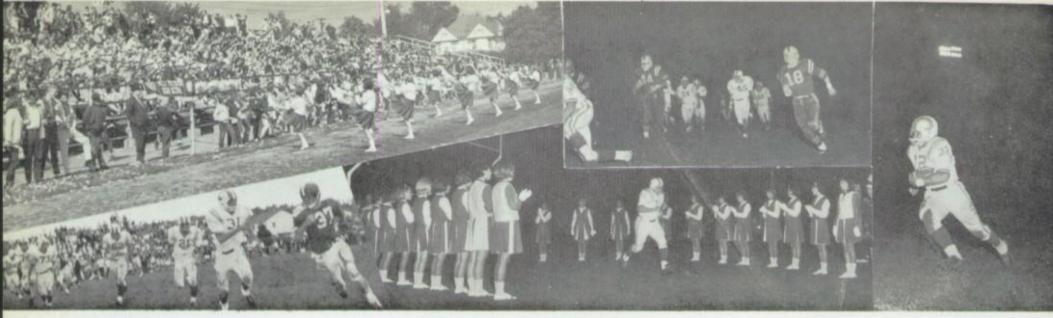












Pigskin Review '66

RAMS—"Right Attitude Means Success." This name was first given to the West Pittston High School athletic teams by Coach Ollie Thomas in 1958. Even today, this motto is the foundation for all our athletic endeavors.

Many changes have taken place in the Rams' football games throughout the history of West Pittston High School. Lacking a stadium and standard equipment, West Pittston played at Baltimore Avenue commons until 1934, when our present stadium was built. Until 1919 each player supplied his own equipment and uniform. Our early teams lacked regular coaches and faculty managers.

Throughout the eighty-eight years of the existence of West Pittston High School, one thing has not changed—our school colors have always been green and white, green symbolizing youth and right, and white, virtue. Our boys have always been proud to wear these colors; they have never disgraced them.

This year was no exception. The West Pittston Rams displayed a relentless fighting spirit throughout the 1965 season. Showing continued improvement as the season progressed, the Rams finished the season with an impressive win over Exeter, the traditional Turkey Day rival.

Though the team didn't cross their opponents' goals very often, their varied defensive and offensive maneuvers provided the fans with many thrilling moments. Under the capable guidance of Head Coach Merle Bainbridge and Assistant Coach Robert Tonkin, the West Pittston Rams displayed the traditional good sportsmanship and determination during the entire season.

The leading scorer for the Rams was Frank Delaney, the Rams' junior halfback. Also high in the scoring column were seniors Anthony Scalzo and John Williamson.

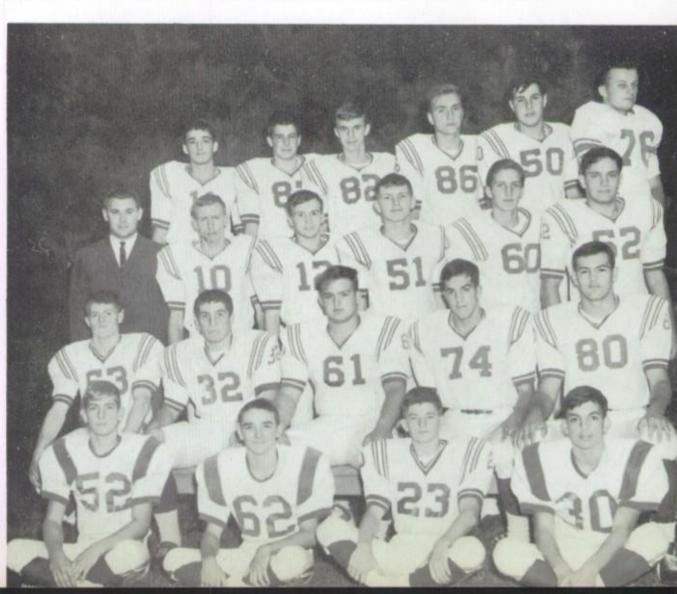
With the fine passing of quarterbacks Kent Bratlee and Tommy Billinge, and with the hard running of our offensive backs, Frank Delaney, Joe Labaty, Anthony Scalzo, and Greg Shiner, the Rams provided a serious threat to many of their opponents. The Rams' ends, John Gillis and John Williamson, gained much yardage through their keen receptions and hard running.

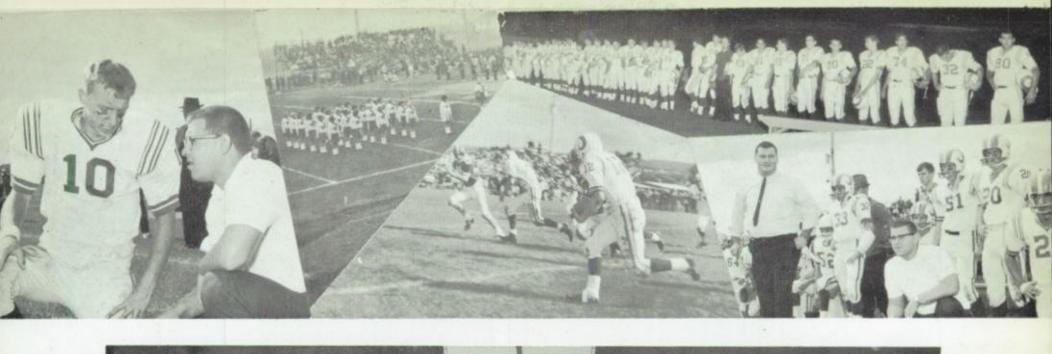
The Rams' line, led by Guy Capone, Ed Connors, Dave Guss, Biagio Manganiello, Paul Marranca, and Nelson Smiles, opened many holes in their opponents' lines. The defensive line, headed by Dominick Aritz, John Jurchak, and John Williamson, proved to hamper consistently our opponents' running. The defensive secondary with Frank Delaney, Rusty Hines, and Greg Shiner were quick to intercept.

Although the Rams started the season with many new and inexperienced players, Coaches Bainbridge and Tonkin built a fine West Pittston team. Much credit should be given to the boys who practiced long hours and who never lost their fighting spirit.

### VARSITY FOOTBALL TEAM

Left to right: First Row—Billy Hastie, Pat Williams, Billy Simonson, Billy Anzalone, Nick Babish, Jim LaTorre, Tommy Billinge, Bernie Borr. Second Row—Joseph Wachs, Anthony Scalzo, Dave Guss, Guy Capone, John Williamson, Joe Labaty, Rusty Hines, Greg Shiner, John Gillis, Nelson Smiles. Third Row—Mr. Bainbridge (coach), Kent Bratlee, Frank Delaney, Daniel Davis, James Zambetti, Paul Marranca, Biagio Manganiello, Barry Hosier, Domnick Aritz, Kenny Heal Ed Connors, Mr. Tonkin (coach). Fourth Row—Mike Bruno, Mike Donahue, Lon Hoover, Danny Kettell, Harry Salavantis, Bill Welliver, Jim Bubul, John Sammon, Tom Zenobi, Pat Donahue, John Jurchak, Steve Gauger. Absent—Ray Donnora.







Left to right: First Row—Victor Guiliano, Thomas Wachs, Martin Borr, Michael Chiampi, Patrick Tishler, Richard Amico, Jack Pope, Paul Alampi, Harold Kitzman. Second Row—Mr. O'Connell (coach), Chris Economopolis, John Hogan, Louis Berti, Hal Seiple, Daniel Marconi, Michael Butera, Cataldo Medico, Jerome Walsh. Third Row—Thomas Ohl, Ronnie Hankey, Sebastian Jerrytone, George Gentile, Joe Cella, James Gustainis, John Ford, Donald Noble, Edward Janoski, Richard Young.



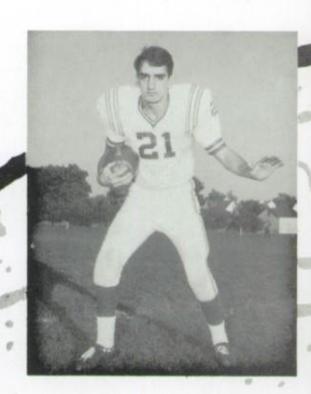
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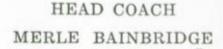
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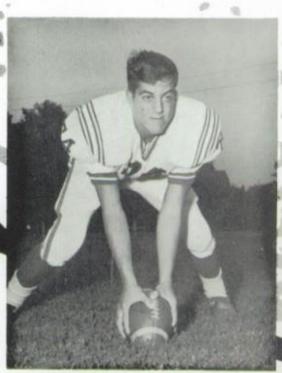
Left to right: Top Row— John Gillis, Greg Shiner, Jack Williamson, Joe Labaty, Rusty Hines.













Assistant Coach Robert Tonkin

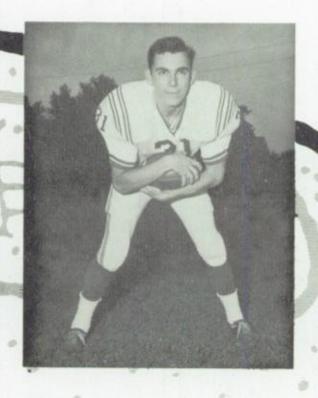


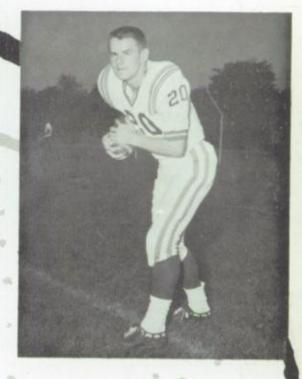
Freshman Coach Robert O'Connell

### CAPTAIN

Left to right: Bottom Row—Joe Wachs, Guy Capone, Sketch Scalzo, Dave Guss, Nelson Smiles.















Left to right: First Row—Michael Bruno, Barry Finn, Charles Salvo. Second Row—David Todd, Ralph Walter, Stephen Stanczyk, Fred Southern.



# Golf



Left to right: Mr. Lewis Shook (advisor), Tony Salerno, Barry Finn, Jim Devers, Jim McCann, Brian Powers, Wayne Gravell. Absent—Stephen Gauger and John Hindmarsh.



The newly established golf team has brought much satisfaction to golf enthusiasts at West Pittston. The golf team, once again under the leadership of Mr. Lewis Shook, began the season in fine fashion, as a member of the Wyoming Valley Golf League. The Rams won their first meet over Crestwood by a score of 10 to 8. The team had a total of nine scheduled meets, plus competition in the District Meet. The members of the team are: Jim Devers, Brian Powers, Barry Finn, Anthony Salerno, James McCann and Steve Gauger. Meeting with some good competition, the golf team gained much valuable experience. The boys played on many courses throughout the area and enjoyed participating in the sport. The team has proved to be quite successful at West Pittston and adds to the number of interesting activities which the school sponsors.













# Valley League Championship-1966

Each West Pittston fan has his own version of the game that was played on March 30. The details of that game will vary with each story that is told, but the outcome will forever remain the same. The emotions felt during that game will vary with each story, but the outcome will still remain the same. The present feelings concerning that game will vary, yet, the outcome joyfully remains the same. The Valley League Championship has been bestowed upon a deserving team. West Pittston High School has earned the title again!

Spirits rode high the night of the game, and victory came as no surprise. From the moment the boys burst through the colorful hoop awaiting them on the gym floor, the fans were aware of the great bout they were to witness.

Our team's scoring punch had been apparent throughout the season; but the Rams outdid themselves that night, as they marched from quarter to quarter displaying fancy floor-work and great desire. All who had come to support the Green and White beamed with pride as they watched the Rams romp to victory. At the end of the game, West Pittstonions swarmed from the gym and cheered exuberantly! The 64-54 score was proudly announced in chapel, and sincerely greeted by a standing ovation. The Valley League Championship was then added to the list of memories of 1966.

Shortly after this great event, West Pittston was again honored. For the first time in 88 years, a West Pittston sportsman was named to the All-State Honorable Mention. Michael Sepsick, a member of this year's graduating class and an outstanding basketball player, has earned space on the roster of Pennsylvania's great in sports.

The team's ascent to the championship and Mike's recognized ability has proven the message which Mr. Daniels. our basketball coach, relayed to us during one of our pep meetings:

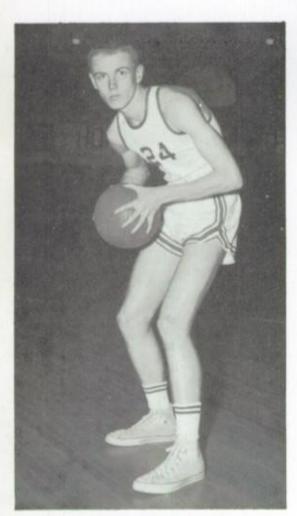
"Rams are high-spirited, daring, and self-reliant. They brave the fiercest storms of winter and climb to great heights that no other animals (boys) dare ascend.'

To Mr. Daniels, Mr. Zezza, the 1966 Rams Basketball Team, and Mike Sepsick go warm and sincere congratulations. The Rams have seen their last basketball season, but their countless achievements will always be remembered. The

yell of "Let's Go Rams!" will echo in basketball halls forever .....



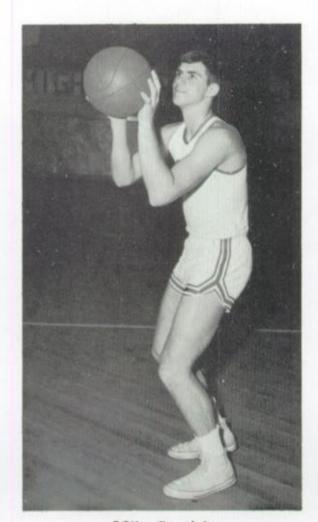
Mr. Charles Daniels Head Coach



Ed Burke



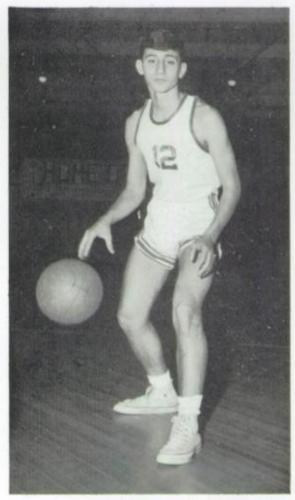
Mike Aquilina



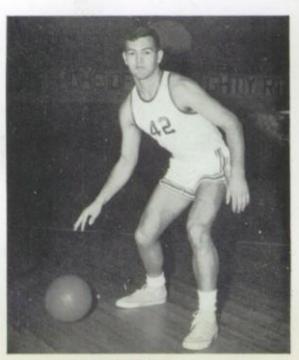
Mike Sepsick



Mr. Gerard Zezza Assistant Coach



Larry Ditoro



John Williamson



# 1966

## Varsity

Left to right: First Row—Larry Ditoro, John Williamson, Ed Burke, Jim Devers, Mike Sepsick, Mike Aquilina. Second Row—Mr. Daniels (coach), Bill Langan, Bob DiPasquale, Steve Williams, Don Carsia, Tom Billinge, Tony Salerno, Mr. Zezza (assistant coach).

### Statistics

The following statistics include all of the Rams' regular season games. This includes four exhibition and eighteen league games.

RAMS' OVERALL RECORD . . . . 20 Wins-2 Losses

#### RAMS' VALLEY LEAGUE RECORD

First Half	 wins—0 losses
Second Half	 8 wins—1 loss

#### RAM SHOOTING PERCENTAGE

John Williamson	.488
Jim Devers	.480
Larry Ditoro	.461
Mike Sepsick	.446
Bill Langan	.412
Mike Aquilina	.410
Ed Burke	.400

#### RAM REBOUNDERS

John Williamson	 328
Mike Sepsick	 256
Jim Devers	 186
Ed Burke	 89
Mike Aquilina	 83
Bill Langan	 72
Larry Ditoro	 36

### Record

West Pittston 58	Dallas	79
West Pittston 90	Taylor-Moosic	69
West Pittston 80	Towanda	76
West Pittston 69	Pocono Mts	55
West Pittston 87	Plains	73
West Pittston 80	Wyoming	76
West Pittston 96	Edwardsville	81
West Pittston 97	Larksville	53
West Pittston 72	Exeter	63
West Pittston 67	Pittston	59
West Pittston 82	Northwest	74
West Pittston 95	Forty Fort	73
West Pittston105	Luzerne	83
West Pittston 67	Edwardsville	66
West Pittston 82	Wyoming	59
West Pittston 54	Northwest	67
West Pittston115	Pittston	96
West Pittston 85		63
West Pittston 89	Forty Fort	57
West Pittston 86	Exeter	61
West Pittston107	Larksville	63
West Pittston104	Plains	03

The Rams scored a total of 1868 points for a 84.9 per game average while holding their opponents to 1546 points for a 70.2 per game average.



Junior Varsity 1966

Left to right: First Row—Robert DiPasquale, Tommy Billinge, Don Carsia, Stephen Williams, Tony Salerno. Second Row—Chuck Salvo, Jim Gilligan, Frank Wanko, Charles Chiampi, Billy Hastie, Larry Burke, Joe Gillespie, Chris Economopoulos.

## Basketball-1966

Unheard of, a man's idea, a man's dream...basketball! In 1891 James Naismith invented a new game. He used a peach basket, a soccer ball, and two groups of boys. His dream turned into today's modern game of basketball.

This year, we, the people of West Pittston, have been blessed with the greatest and most thrilling example of this game. Never has so much excitement, action, spirit, and ability been packed into one season. Twelve boys, two coaches and a multitude of avid sports fans has brought us twenty victories, two losses, and the Valley League Championship

Led by their capable coaches, Mr. Charles Daniels and Mr. Gerard Zezza, the West Pittston Rams have graced the headlines of countless newspaper articles. Never letting their spirits fall, our Rams romped from one town to another, leaving their indelible mark—victory for the green and white. While proud in victory, the Garden Village cagers held their heads high even when bitterly faced with their first, and only, defeat of the season play. Bowing to a determined opponent, the Rams returned home at the bottom of a 67 – 54 score after meeting the Northwest Rangers away in second-half competition. The loss made West Pittstonions more appreciative of their numerous victories, and ready to face the coming thrills of their remaining games. Leading the Rams to a hard-won championship this year were five seniors, all very worthy to represent West Pittston in her final triumph.

Mike ("Laverne") Sepsick highlighted the 1966 Season with his accurate shooting and alert defensive play. Hailed by many as "the best shot in the valley," Mike has rightfully earned the respect of numerous coaches, fellow-players, and sports fans throughout the valley.

Very much at home on the basketball court this year was tall and muscular Jack Williamson. His rebounding skill and variety of moves under the basket were invaluable assets to his team this year.

Another senior who exhibited great skill in handling the basketball throughout the season was Mike Aquilina. With his sure jump shots and close guarding, "Acky" proved to be a big help to the 1966 fast-moving Rams.

Always ready and eager, Ed Burke contributed more than his share to the successful efforts of his team. Eddie, by taking full advantage of his height, fought successfully under the basket for possession of the basketball.

Larry Ditoro, making his debut on the court this year, did much to keep up the spirits of his teammates by his never-ending energy. In the most crucial times of the game, Larry held his own and aided in the heated press for victory.

"Diminutive" Billy Langan and six-foot, four-inch Jim Devers, both juniors, showed outstanding skill in their performances this year. Their fine playing won the acclaim of all present at this season's games.

At the head of this year's championship team was a worthy leader. The confidence he placed in his boys accompanied them from one game to the next. He instilled in them and in their fans great spirit and high goals. Reminding us of the prowess of the Ram, our coach, Mr. Charles Daniels, gained not only inumerable fans, but friends as well. He will be well-remembered by the class of 1966 for his dream, his goal, our reality—the Valley League Championship! To him and the 1966 Rams goes our gratitude for a memorable basketball sea—son—Our Final Championship...



BASKETBALL MANAGERS

Left to right: Barry White,
Austin Ambrosino, Albert Manganello.





### EIGHTH GRADE BASKETBALL

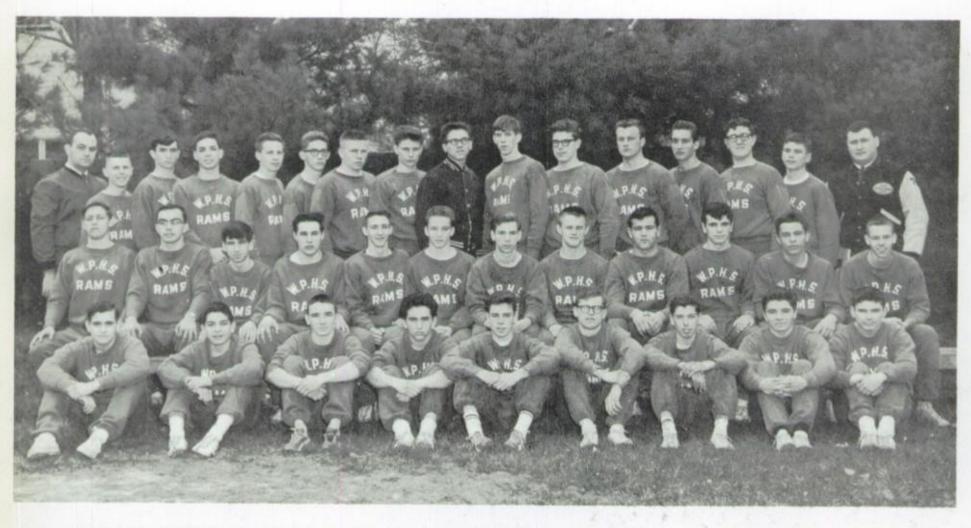
Left to right: First Row—Hank Smith, Tony Dellarte, Fred Cefalo, Robert Simonson, Don Embleton, Tommy Dickinson. Second Row—Sammy Aritz, Richard Serino, Bob Schlosser, Walter Stocknick, Anthony Saraceno, Joseph Stella.



#### NINTH GRADE BASKETBALL

Left to right: First Row—Billy Hastie, Charles Chiampi, Larry Burke, Chris Economopoulos, Joe Gillespie. Second Row—Jack Pope (manager), John Keaney, John Yakobitis, Steryl Jones, David Wisnosky.

## Track and Field



Left to right: First Row—Aldan Lori, Guy Fasciana, Pat Williams, Jimmy LaTorre, Mike Pugliese, Mike Mariani, Mike Pramick, Don Parry, Dale Reese. Second Row—James Bubul, Biagio Manganiello, Fred Serino, Harry Salavantis, Hal Seiple, Nick Babish, John A. Gillis, Rusty Hines, John Williamson, Kevin Smith, Tom Zenobi, Jimmie Boos. Third Row—Mr. Patrick G. Cawley, Brad Mahalsky, Doug Widmer, Billy Anzalone, Frank Rutledge, Dave Todd, Ray Donnora, Ron Kishel, Dave Chintala, John Sammon, Kenny Heal, Bill Welliver, Jim Zambetti, Michael M. Mariani, Richard M. Reese, Mr. Robert Tonkin.



#### TRACK COACHES

Left to right: Mr. Patrick Cawley, Mr. Robert Tonkin.



Left to right: James Connors, Don Davis, Louis Manganiello, Wayne Gravell.















### TRACK AND FIELD

The 1966 version of the West Pittston High School track team, under the capable guidance of Mr. Patrick Cawley and his new assistant, Mr. Robert Tonkin, opened the season on April 27 with its first meet against West Side Central Catholic. Although the Rams were forced to drop out of the highly competitive Wyoming Valley Track League because of the lack of personnel, the thin-clads displayed a valiant effort against the Queensmen, but finally were defeated, 74 to 48.

Leading the Rams with first places in this meet were Rusty Hines, John Gillis, Kevin Smith and Tom Zenobi. Many of the hard-working underclassmen who comprise the majority of the team also placed in the meet.

This year's track schedule called for dual meets with Forty Fort and Wyoming, with the Rams playing host to Northwest and Central Catholic.

On their first encounter with the Flyers of Forty Fort, the Rams were outmanned by a strong Forty Fort team and dropped the meet by a score of 73-1/2 to 47-1/2. Once again turning in fine performances for the Rams were Rusty Hines, John Gillis, Tom Zenobi, Jim LaTorre, and John Williamson.

On May 10 the Rams met a powerful Wyoming team and were defeated 84 to 48. Those members placing high for West Pittston were led by Rusty Hines, David Todd, Tom Zenobi, John Gillis, Jim Bubul and Kevin Smith. The Rams were eagerly awaiting their return meet with the Redskins in order to avenge their defeat in their first outing.

In their second and final competition with the Flyers of Forty Fort, the much improved West Pittston team dropped a close meet by the score of 71 to 58. Once again turning in fine performances for the Rams were Tom Zenobi, Kenny Heal, Joe Labaty, Rusty Hines, John Gillis and Kevin Smith.

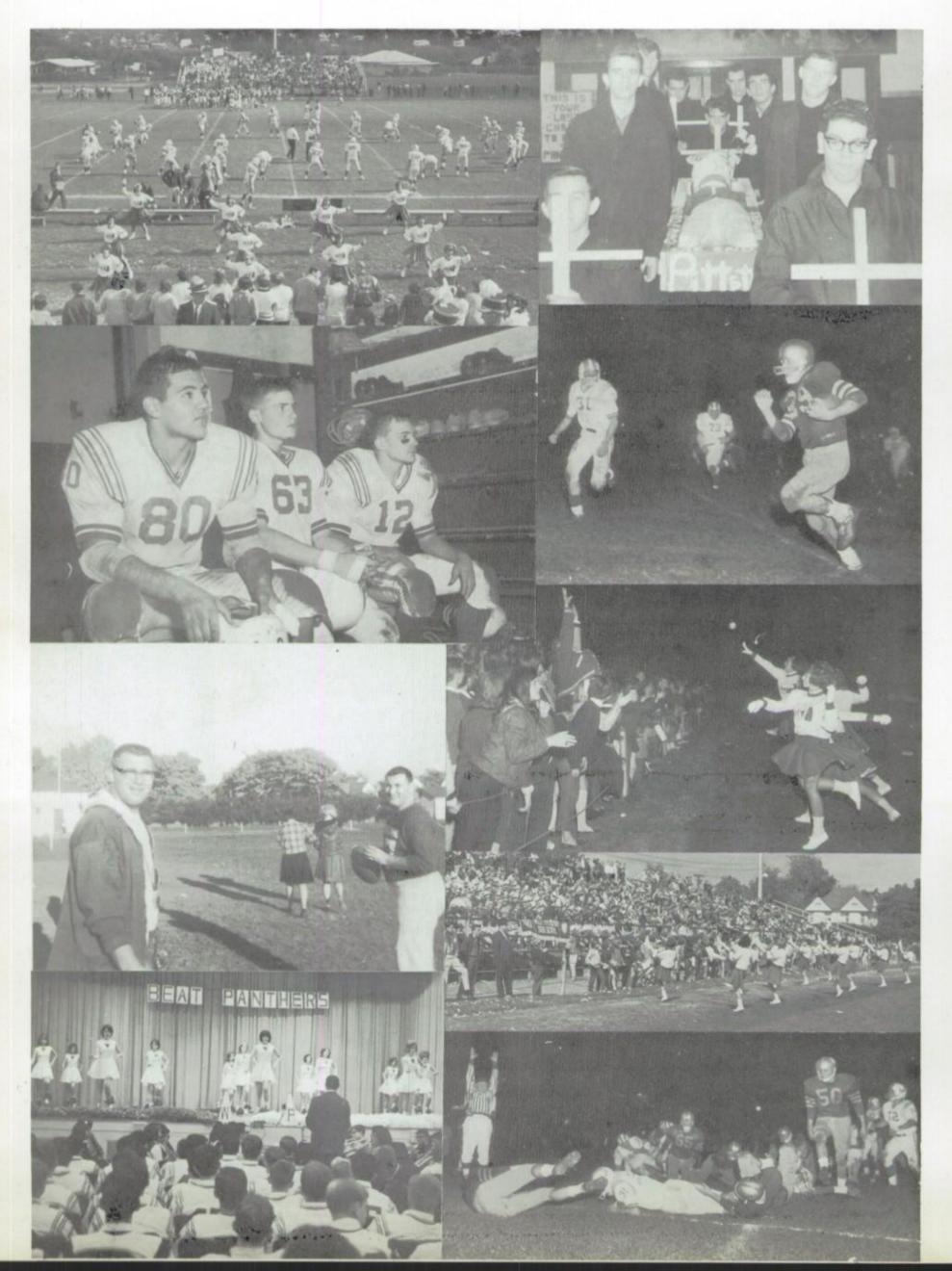
Track season closed on Friday, May 20, when our team met with several Valley teams in a district meet at Kingston. Although no records were broken, fine performances by Rusty Hines, Kevin Smith, James Bubul, David Todd, and John Gillis along with efforts of the entire team helped us to capture fourth place in the meet.

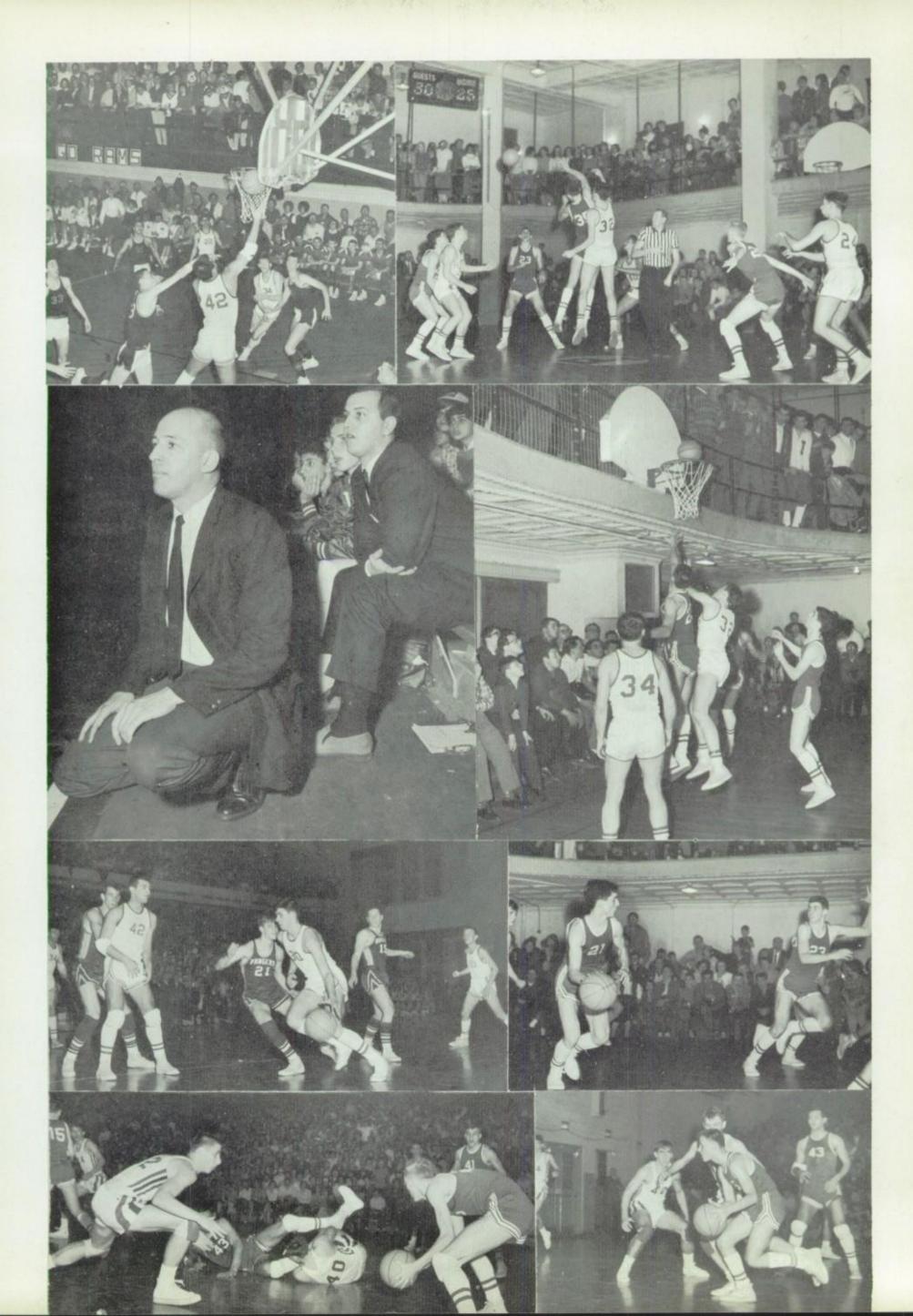




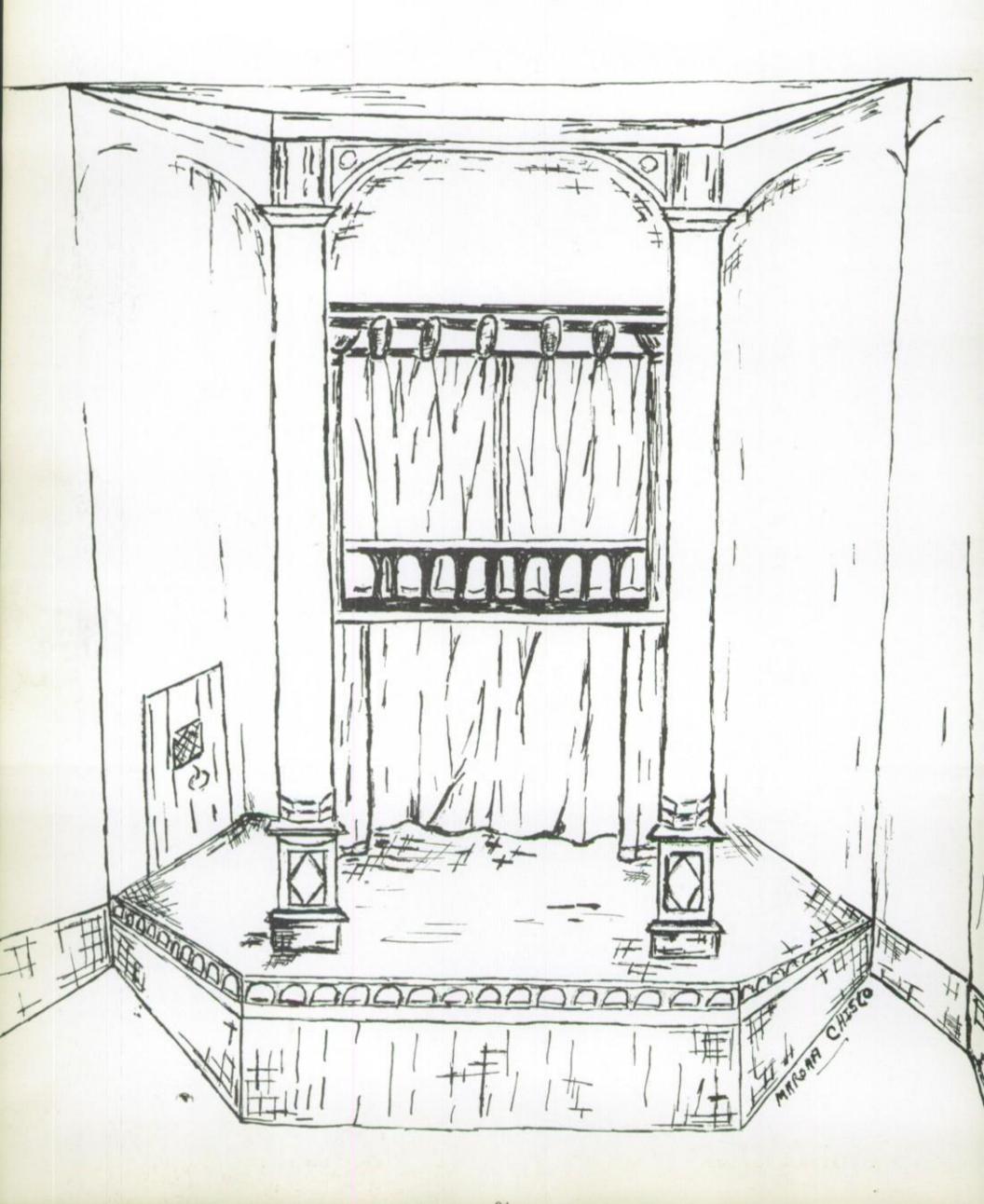


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